

POLICE CONFIDENT OF SOLUTION TO HOUSE OF MYSTERY

Son Convinced Mrs. Jane Dick Was Murdered In Her Bed; Police Making Close Check of All Clues Which Bear On Mysterious Tragedy Behind Locked Doors.

The mystery of the death of Mrs. Jane Dick at 702 Princess Avenue last week is as yet unsolved. The evidence given at the inquest strongly points to murder, but the motive is not yet determined.

Police to-day made a check up of the movements of all who could have come within the radius of the scene on the night in question. That scrutiny has not yet led to any announced results, but the police are awaiting definite information before making any public announcement. Various clues are being sifted to a conclusion, and as usual in such cases a vast amount of material has to be turned over and examined before being discarded as useless to the search.

Though official statements are given out sparingly, the police are confident that the mystery will be untangled in due course. Meanwhile the examination of all that could throw any light on the subject is proceeding apace. Uniformed men and plain clothes officers spent the night in investigating various phases of the fatal assault, and the hand of the department will not be stayed until the mystery is solved.

Son's Statement.
That the victim, Mrs. Dick, was six years of age was learned in a statement by Albert Dick, her son, to The Times to-day. Albert Dick, and his brother Allen, are the sole surviving relatives of the victim of the tragedy. They received a wire from Chief Fry on Saturday saying that their mother had died. He suddenly, from that time the late Mrs. Dick was alone in the house except for occasional boarders, and daily help that came to the house to clean up and cook.

Mrs. Dick was buried yesterday, a certificate having been issued after the inquest was adjourned. The widow had occupied the premises at 702 Princess Avenue, rooming there from the city for the past eighteen months. Albert Dick had lived at home until about a year ago, while Allen left home in April of this year. From that time the late Mrs. Dick was alone in the house except for occasional boarders, and daily help that came to the house to clean up and cook.

Mrs. Dick, according to Albert Dick, had suffered a paralytic stroke some time ago and was almost entirely crippled. She could walk sufficiently to get about the house, but could not go outside for any distance without transportation in a car. She required aid in dressing herself, and help came daily to the house for this purpose.

Thinks Motive Was Murder.
There were four keys to the front door, which has a spring lock, initiated Mr. Dick. Of course, his mother had possession of three, while he himself had the remaining key. Mr. Dick could ascribe no motive for the crime, but he is convinced it was murder. As far as he knew the late Mrs. Dick had no enemies, and lived at peace with all the world. The drawing of the blinds is taken by Albert Dick to have been the act of one who proceeded leisurely about the place after the commission of what he believes to be a murder. The late Mrs. Dick was in the habit of retiring by the light of the cluster lamp at the corner of Douglas Street and Princess Avenue, which gave sufficient light in the room to enable her to dispense with artificial light.

Condition of House.
The house on Princess Avenue was quiet to-day. The police took possession of the front door, which was locked and the door of the bedroom in the southwest wing of the building.

It is understood that in the examination of the bedroom where the body was found blood stains were

POLLING TO-DAY IN CAPE BRETON

By-Election Contest Expected to Be Close One

North Sydney, N.S., July 31.—Ideal weather conditions prevailed when the polls opened this morning in the Cape Breton North and Victoria by-election contest. The vote polled in the first hour in the towns was light. To-day all parties are of the opinion that the contest is likely to be a close one, but none are willing to make any estimate as to how they will be divided.

ON DOLLAR BASIS
Berlin, July 31.—The Reichsbank intends hereafter to regulate the purchase of gold coin on the basis of the dollar quotation, says The Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung to-day.

GERMANY ADOPTS TAXATION MEASURES

Berlin, July 31.—The German Cabinet to-day adopted a number of taxation measures to supply the country with considerable sums of money it needs owing to the depreciation of the mark. The bills provide for a 100 per cent. increase in the income tax to meet the expenditure necessitated by the occupation of the Rhineland and the Ruhr.

The beer tax will be increased.

Decision Expected On Reparations To-day

London, July 31.—An important decision regarding Great Britain's policy toward her French and Belgian Allies in the matter of reparations was expected to be the outcome of the Cabinet meeting which began this morning. What the Cabinet had to decide was whether Great Britain would accede to France's request for additional information regarding the British proposals, thereby involving further delays, or whether the British Government should assume the responsibility of negotiating direct with Germany without the approval of France of Belgium.

It was pointed out in British official circles that the German Government was finding itself surrounded by ever-growing difficulties and that it was possible that before Great Britain, France and Belgium could agree on a uniform policy the Cuno Government might fall.

SOVIET THREATENS TO CONFISCATE SHIP FOR WRANGEL RELIEF

Nome, Alaska, July 31.—Harold Noice, head of the expedition to Wrangel Island for the relief of Alan Crawford and his party, marooned there since 1920, has been advised of an announcement by the Soviet authorities at East Cape, Siberia, that unless his ship the Donaldson, calls at Petropavlovsk, Kamechatka, for proper clearance and also at East Cape for a contingent of Red Guards to be taken to the Island the vessel will be confiscated.

British Flag There.
Although Crawford and his associates raised the British flag over the island when they landed there, the island is claimed by the Soviet Government, which demands that the British flag be lowered and the expedition to enforce the payment of taxes on any furs taken by the Crawford party, according to information received here. The Donaldson is scheduled to sail from Nome to-morrow.

Captain Noice had previously been informed that the Soviet authorities at East Cape were antagonistic to his expedition, and planned to avoid entering Siberian waters while en route to the island, which lies off the North-eastern Siberian coast. Whether conditions recently, however, have indicated a possibility that the Donaldson would have to approach the Siberian coast at some point.

The coastguard cutter Bear arrived at Nome to-day from Anadyr, Siberia, bringing C. B. Coselman, representative of Olaf Swenson & Company, of Seattle, whose ship, the Blue Sea, has been reported seized by East Cape authorities to be used for transport for Red troops into the Kolyma River country. No further details of the reported seizure and confiscation of the Swenson ship could be obtained.

TEN TO ONE SHOT WINS STEWARDS' CUP

French Colt Epinard Had Two Lengths Lead
Jarvis, at 100 to 6 Against, Ran Second

London, July 31.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The Stewards' Cup, the principal event of the opening day of the Goodwood Races, was won to-day by the three-year-old French colt Epinard, at 100 to 6 against, owned by Pierre Wertheimer, and ridden by Macgee, two lengths ahead of Clarence Hatry's three-year-old bay colt Jarvis, at 100 to 6 against, which was second in the race with Smirks up and H. C. Miller's four-year-old bay colt, Hunting Song, ridden by Walsh, only a head behind Jarvis. Fourteen started. The Stewards' Cup, a handicapped sweepstakes of 15 sovereigns each, with one thousand sovereigns added, is a six furlong dash.

The following entries for the Stewards' Cup at Goodwood to-day were scratched: Crowden, Zanolli and Scyphus.

STORM FLATTENS ALBERTA GRAIN

Storm Sweeps Greater Part of Province Since Sunday Night

Calgary, July 31.—Snow has laid the crops fifteen miles west of Calgary, and the foothills are white. Rain is general from Edmonton to the border, with the exception of a few districts. The district between the Bow and the Smoky, however, was spared. Snow is also reported in Banff, with a very brief fall in Calgary, Edmonton and Clearwater.

A minimum temperature of 28 degrees above zero, six degrees above freezing. These are the outstanding facts about the storm that has swept over the greater part of the Province since Sunday night.

Fifteen miles west of Calgary, on the South Banff trail, snow was reported on Tuesday morning. Farmers in this district expressed some doubt if the grain that had really flattened would come back.

STATE OF LETVIA RATIFIES PROTOCOL

Geneva, July 31.—Letvian has notified the League of Nations that it has ratified the protocol, establishing the permanent Court of International Justice. This makes the thirty-seventh state adhering to the court by Act of its Parliament.

PREMIER SENDS B. C.'S SYMPATHY

Premier Oliver, just before he left for the East to-day, telegraphed to San Francisco a message of sympathy to President Harding, who was taken ill a couple of days after the great reception given him in Vancouver.

"Please convey to President and Mrs. Harding the sincere sympathy of the people of British Columbia with their earnest wishes for his rapid recovery," the Premier said in his telegram to the President's secretary.

Striking Evidence Of Mark's Decline

Toronto, July 31.—Depreciation of the German mark was strikingly evidenced this week in Toronto when a consignment of three million stamps of various denominations were received from Germany by a local stamp dealer. This consignment, valued in Germany at six thousand marks, was received through the mail in sixty-five parcels. The German postage on each package was equal to less than one cent in Canadian money while the dealer claims that the cost of mailing each parcel in Canada would have been \$1.24.

BUILDING TOTAL OVER HALF MILLION MARK; BEAT 1922 FIGURES

Buildings started in Victoria this month will involve the expenditure of \$135,815, according to figures compiled and issued at the City Hall to-day by Building Inspector James Barff.

This brings the total expenditure on building here for the first seven months of the year up to \$558,966. Mr. Barff announced. Last year at this time the total was \$482,131, so that this year's gain is \$76,835. This month's total of \$135,815 is well ahead of the July total of last year—\$48,350.

Building permits issued this month total 35, as against 38 in July, 1922. So far this year 230 permits have been issued, as against 264 up to this time last year.

CABINET SHUFFLE IN NEW ZEALAND

Reorganization Due to Defeat of Minister in By-Election
Wellington, N. Z., July 30.—Reorganization of the New Zealand Cabinet, due to the defeat of the Minister of Justice, Mr. Lee, at the Oamaru by-election has just been carried out by Premier Massey.

C. J. Farr, Minister of Education, becomes Minister of Justice. Sir Maui Pomare the Maori Minister becomes Minister of Health. F. Holland, former chief whip of the Government party, becomes Minister of Internal Affairs in place of Mr. Downie, who becomes Minister of Lands during the illness of Mr. Guthrie. Mr. Massey, who holds a dozen portfolios at present, takes another one, the Public Trust Office. Ministers have still to be found for the post office and the Education Department.

The revised cabinet is not particularly strong, and it is likely that a fresh exchange of portfolios will follow Mr. Massey's return from the Imperial Conference.

EMPIRE PREFERENCE WILL BE DISCUSSED

Vital Question to Come Before Imperial Conference

Australia to Ship Meat for British Army

IRISH PARLIAMENT TO BE DISSOLVED

President Cosgrave Announces Pending Dissolution of Dail

Dublin, July 31.—President Cosgrave announced yesterday that the dissolution of the Dail would probably take place this week.

Attitude Towards League.
Geneva, July 31.—Michael MacWhite, Irish Free State representative at the League of Nations headquarters, has notified the League that the Irish Free State will pass the Bill by which the Free State pledges herself to fulfill all her obligations in the League if she is elected to membership. The annual ones of Ireland as a member of the League probably would be about \$50,000.

BELGIANS EXPELLED BURGOMASTER AT AIX

Aix-la-Chapelle, July 31.—The Belgian forces of occupation to-day expelled the burgomaster and five members of the municipal council of this city. No reason for the expulsion of the Germans was announced.

IMPROVEMENT SEEN IN CONDITION OF PRESIDENT HARDING

Chief Executive of United States Passed Comfortable Night and Slept Restfully, According to Official Bulletin To-day; Temperature Is Lower and President Less Exhausted.

Presidential Headquarters, Palace Hotel, San Francisco, July 31.—President Harding appeared to-day to have won the first preliminary skirmish in his fight against bronchial pneumonia and attending complications.

Official Bulletin.
Presidential Headquarters, Palace Hotel, San Francisco, July 31.—Definite indications of the improvement in the condition of President Harding were contained in an official bulletin issued at 10 a.m. to-day by the attending physicians:

"The President had a fairly comfortable night, with considerable restful sleep," said the bulletin.

STANDARD BANK ANNOUNCES PLAN TO READJUST ASSETS

Directors' Statement Issued This Afternoon to Bank's Shareholders

Drawing Upon Reserves and Contingent Fund Recommended

Toronto, July 31.—The directors of the Standard Bank of Canada issued the following statement this afternoon:

"The Board of Directors of the Standard Bank of Canada in a notice going forward to shareholders, announce a plan for a readjustment of the assets of the Bank. The advisability of carrying out the plan has been suggested by the continuation of the business and agricultural depression which has so severely affected the operations and standing of some of the customers of the Bank.

To Meet Situation.
"In order to effectively meet the situation, the directors recommend drawing on the large reserves of the Bank for an amount of \$1,250,000. The Board also recommends the creation of a contingent fund of \$1,000,000. The Bank will then have a reserve of \$2,750,000, a contingent fund of \$1,000,000 and a paid-up capital of \$4,000,000.

Dividend Policy.
As regards the dividend policy, the Board suggests that future distributions should be on the more conservative basis of 10 per cent. in place of the present 14 per cent. and that any additional distribution should take the form of bonuses from time to time. In banking circles this action will be met with approval, which places it in an absolutely sound position, has been very strongly commended and will tend to inspire confidence in our Canadian banking system.

Executive Changes.
W. Francis, president of the Bank, announces the appointment of N. L. McLeod to the position of general manager of the Bank, succeeding C. H. Eason, chief executive, who had requested permission to retire. An announcement is also made that Norman C. Stephens, B.A., G.N., Brown have been appointed assistant general managers.

The new general manager has been in the service of the Standard Bank for many years, during which time he has occupied several positions of importance, including that of Western Superintendent and latterly as an executive officer at the bank.

Mr. Stephens has had a long career with the Bank. Mr. Brown has 15 years.

SLAVE RAIDING IN BRITISH TERRITORY

But Effectively Checked, Lord Curzon Tells Lords

Inquiry Concerning Alleged Abyssinia Slavery

London, July 31.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Lord Curzon, replying in the House of Lords last night to Lord Beauchamp with reference to alleged Abyssinian slavery, declared that there was a good deal of slave-raiding in British territory. It had been effectively checked, he said.

So far as Great Britain was concerned in the matter, Lord Curzon said, the Government would give all the information in its possession to the League of Nations. It would get a report of the present situation in Abyssinia in order that the Government would be able to deal fairly in the matter.

INVESTORS TOLD PROFIT IS SURE

Sir Broderick Hartwell Has Scheme for Shipping Whisky Abroad

London, July 31.—A business circular is being distributed here in the name of Sir Broderick Hartwell, veteran of the South African and World wars. Inviting investors in a scheme for shipping whisky abroad. The plan says the circular, offers an opportunity for making a twenty per cent profit on the capital every six days.

The paper asserts that five thousand cases of whisky will be shipped within the next four weeks, and that arrangements have been made to transport thereafter ten thousand cases monthly, payment for which is guaranteed on the arrival of the consignments at a point twenty miles from shore. The circular leaves the investor to guess what shore is meant, but The Daily News says it is the shore of the United States. "My idea is to run a ship on the ocean," said Sir Broderick to The Daily Mail.

COAL MINES AT DORSTFELD OCCUPIED

Duesseldorf, July 31.—French troops to-day occupied five coal mines in the town of Dorstfeld. The miners quit work and the French forbade them to re-enter the premises.

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TURKEY DECLINES TO GUARANTEE PROTECTION OF CHRISTIAN SUBJECTS

Lausanne, July 31.—The Turkish-American negotiations are in an unfavorable position, and it depends upon the decision of Washington whether a convention will be signed at Lausanne.

Ismet Pasha took Riza Nur Bey with him yesterday to give an additional strength in his talks with Joseph C. Grew. The first indication that the situation was less hopeful came when Ismet announced that Turkey could do nothing for the protection of Christian populations in Turkey who were Ottoman subjects.

This was a distinct disappointment, because of the previous intimation that, in his answer to Mr. Grew's letter inquiring as to what steps

WANTS TO HELP OTHER WOMEN

Grateful for Health Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Toronto, Ont.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for backache and for weak and dreary feelings caused by my condition. Sometimes I felt so bad that I couldn't do my housework. My neighbor told me of your medicine and I read about it in the 'Toronto Telegram' and thought I would take it. I got very good results. It built me up and I have told several friends what it has done for me. You may use this testimonial as it may be of help to some one who has suffered as I have."

—Mrs. J. Lee, 25 Harvie Avenue, Toronto, Ont.

You might be interested in reading a girl or woman suffering from such troubles, and answer any questions they may like to ask.

Women suffering from female troubles causing backache, irregularities, pains, bearing-down feelings, and weakness should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Not only is the worth of this splendid medicine shown by such cases as this, but for nearly fifty years letters like this have been received from thousands of women.

Mrs. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon the "Ailments of Women." You can get a copy free by writing the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Croydon, Ontario.

DEPT. OF JUSTICE WILL BE INVESTIGATED

Government Orders Inquiry Into Returned Soldier Case

Ottawa, July 31.—An immediate investigation by the Department of Immigration has been ordered into the circumstances surrounding the deportation of Herbert S. Liddell, of Carberry, Man., formerly of the Eighth Overseas Battalion, who was deported yesterday by Dr. W. J. Black, Deputy Minister. The case was brought to the attention of the Department by a protest made by officials of the Great War Veterans' Association, which asserts Liddell came to Canada from England 13 years ago and homesteaded near Carberry, served in France from 1914 till 1918; was gassed and also received a bullet wound. He was demobilized, it is stated, without pension. Later, Liddell showed signs of depression and was cared for at the asylum in Selkirk, Man. In the fall of 1921, it is explained, he was deported by the authorities, at a time when his mother was on a visit to the Old Country. On communication with the Immigration Department, Mrs. Liddell was advised that the boy had been insane before coming to Canada and therefore was not eligible as an immigrant.

VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

SPRATT MILL AT PORT ALBERNI NOW IN OPERATION

Port Alberni, July 31.—The Spratt mill, at the head of the Alberni canal, is now cutting lumber.

The product of the mill, which is about 15,000 feet a day, is being used entirely for further construction work which is to bring the mill up to a capacity of 125,000 feet in one shift.

Work on this new enterprise was commenced at the beginning of February and has been going on steadily since. A large amount of pile driving, from the main track of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway out into deep water, was required, and a lot more has yet to be done.

At present there are twenty-five men employed at the mill, and about fifty in the logging camp.

JAMES ISLAND TENNIS

Special to The Times.

James Island, July 30.—In a week-end match between teams representing the Armada Lawn Tennis Club and the James Island Club, the latter won by a score of 164 points against 106.

The games were played on the James Island courts in ideal weather, and the visitors were well received, and other refreshments during the afternoon.

The results of the matches, in detail, follow:

Mixed Doubles.

Miss Thomas and E. Rivers (James Island), beat Mrs. Tildesley and Griffith (Armada), 10-5.

Mrs. Thomas and Eyres (James Island), beat Mrs. Swayne and Tildesley (Armada), 10-5.

Miss R. Richards and Holland (James Island), beat Mrs. Freeman and Caldwell (Armada), 11-4.

Mrs. Jardine and Phillips (Armada), beat Miss H. Richards and Richards (James Island), 8-7.

Mrs. Jardine and Kingham (Armada), beat Mrs. Kennedy and W. Rivers (James Island), 10-5.

Miss Ford and Malcolm (James Island), beat Miss Birch and Caldwell, Jr. (Armada), 9-6.

Miss Bowker and Rodger (James Island), beat Miss Eastman and Prevost (Armada), 9-6.

Mrs. Thomas and Swayne (James Island), beat Mrs. Swayne and Tildesley (Armada), 10-5.

Miss H. and Miss R. Richards (James Island), beat Mrs. Freeman and Caldwell (Armada), 11-4.

Mrs. Kennedy and Miss Ford (James Island), beat Mrs. Caldwell and Mrs. Jardine (Armada), 10-5.

Miss Bowker and Miss Whalen (James Island), beat Mrs. Fletcher and Miss Eastman (Armada), 9-6.

Men's Doubles.

Griffith and Kingham (Armada), beat Eyres and Rivers (James Island), 8-6.

W. Rivers and Holland (James Island), beat Caldwell and Tildesley (Armada), 11-4.

Richards and Malcolm (James Island), beat Phillips and Caldwell, Jr. (Armada), 8-7.

Prevost and McLean (Armada), beat Sinclair and Rodger (James Island), 8-7.

Holland (James Island), beat Griffith (Armada), 8-7.

Rivers (James Island), beat Kingham (Armada), 8-7.

RECOMMENDATIONS IN REGULATION OF FUTURES TRADING

Washington, July 31.—Holding further Federal regulation of futures trading in grain necessary to "prevent abuses" the Federal Trade Commission, newly-appointed head of its report on the methods and operations of grain exporters, published today, makes several recommendations. Legislation requiring daily publication by the Chicago Board of Trade of the total volume of the preceding day's operations in futures and open trades in each grain and oil commodity, and acceptance by the Board of Grain Delivery on futures contracts at other important markets was necessary to prevent a squeeze or corner in Chicago, the outstanding recommendation of the commission's recommendations.

SURGICAL AUTHORITY.

Montreal, July 31.—Dr. E. W. Archibald, B. A., M. D., of Montreal, world surgical authority and recognized leader of his profession in America, was selected by the Board of Governors of McGill University to fill the post of professor of surgery.

Dr. C. F. Martin was appointed dean of the faculty of medicine.

NEW MANAGER OF STORE INTRODUCED

Retail Merchants' Association Meets A. J. Watson

The resignation of G. A. H. Porter, former manager of the Hudson's Bay Company store here as treasurer of the Retail Merchants' Association, was received with deep regret by the association executives at a meeting in Cornwall's tea rooms this afternoon. Mr. Porter introduced A. J. Watson, the new manager, who was greeted with a warm welcome. The half-hourly meeting was discussed today, and the association executives at the meeting, and the association president to attend a meeting next week, when business men will assemble to consider the matter further.

PRESIDENT'S BOAT RAMMED BARKENTINE IN FOG SATURDAY

Seattle, July 31.—The United States Navy transport Henderson, which carried to Alaska the unidentified steamer which early last Saturday rammed the five-masted barkentine Monterey in a dense fog in the Strait of Juan de Fuca, it was learned yesterday, was near here, to-day.

GIVES THREE YEARS TO END DEFICITS

Sir Henry Thornton Optimistic for C. N. R.'s Future

Montreal, July 31.—In about three years' time, the Canadian National Railways may be expected to have ceased to be a burden on the pockets of the taxpayer, Sir Henry Thornton, chairman of the government railways, declared yesterday. He added, however, the proviso that that would be the case if no unforeseen disaster struck Canada.

Sir Henry explained that the different lines making up the Canadian Government national system, formerly rivals and mostly weak, could not be co-ordinated and brought into harmony in a few months, but progress was being made.

Already Improvement.

Net receipts were already improving greatly and showed signs of continuing to improve. Another three years ought to see the end of the succession of deficits, he said.

Sir Henry said that "we have enemies, and we know it, and we know we have a stand-up fight before us. I believe in this thing, and I am going through with it, and I will fight to the end. We will get rid of our administration."

Speaking of the consequences of failure, Sir Henry said an alternative would be to give the Canadian Pacific Railway the whole system.

"That sounds feasible, but I don't think the people of Canada would allow the Government to hand over the whole line to the Canadian Pacific and I doubt whether the C. P. R. would take it if it was offered to them."

DOORS OF MOSCOW PRISONS OPENED

Moscow, July 31.—Twenty-five hundred prisoners have been released from Moscow prisons this month through the efforts of special commissioners appointed to investigate the sentences of Moscow courts and overcrowding in the prisons.

Commercial Situation.

Moscow, July 31.—The special commission appointed by the Council of Labor and Defence to investigate the commercial situation in the Far East has decided that it is desirable that the Russian Soviet Government continue their activities, says The Trades and Industrial Gazette. The commission is now discussing the advisability of permitting foreign concerns to carry on business in the Far East under the same status as Russian citizens and without special concessions.

Appeal for Production.

Moscow, July 31.—The United States is carrying on a close game against Europe while all the other capitalist countries are squabbling amongst themselves, each undermining its neighbor, said the outstanding head of the Russian delegation in London, in addressing a workers' meeting last night on the international situation.

He concluded his speech with an appeal to the workers to increase production.

MAY PAVE WAY FOR TRADE BETWEEN JAPAN AND RUSSIA

Tokyo, July 31.—Diplomatic conversations which were to pave the way to formal negotiations looking towards resumption of diplomatic relations between Japan and the Russian Soviet Government were concluded here this afternoon. It remains for the Governments concerned to determine whether the conversations form a satisfactory basis for the opening of a formal conference.

Referendum Vote on Tramway Men's Dispute With Company

Montreal, July 31.—Street cars in Montreal will stop running at midnight Friday if the result of the referendum vote to be taken on the question of the tramway men's dispute with the company is in favor of a strike to enforce the men's demands, it was stated at the offices of the Montreal Tramway Employees' Union to-day.

CHARGES JOCKEY BROKE CONTRACT

Owner Seeks to Restrain Young Victoria Rider From Changing Stables

Following an adjournment from Saturday to give the parties an opportunity to settle the case out of court, Mr. Justice Gregory this morning agreed to another adjournment for a week in the case of Arthur Stirling Wood, who sought to restrain jockey Leslie Noel Greary from riding for Thomas Martin. Greary is at present riding on the Willow track, and when the case was called Saturday Mr. Justice Gregory suggested an adjournment to see if the matter could not be settled by the judges court at the track. Wood named as defendants Andrew and Ellen Greary as the guardians of their infant son, and Thomas Martin, who secured the young Victoria rider's services. Plaintiff claims that he had Greary under contract and granted him leave to return to Victoria to attend school. Instead of going to school, he alleges, he resumed training, and, from employing Greary as an apprentice jockey or stable boy, a jockey.

REFUSES RELEASE OF LIQUOR OFFENDERS

Habeas Corpus Application on Prince Rupert Cases Rejected

Mr. Justice Gregory in the Supreme Court Chambers this morning dismissed the habeas corpus application made by Stuart Henderson for A. G. Murphy and five others convicted in Prince Rupert under the B. C. Government Liquor Act, for selling liquor at Anyox, and sentenced to six months at Nakalla.

Mr. Stuart Henderson disputed the warrant of commitment on the ground that Oakalla Prison Farm was not properly designated in the document. The only way it could be amended, he contended, was by amending the conviction and the conviction must conform to the charges taken in court. To do this the proceedings must be looked into, and he asserted that under the Act neither the Crown nor the magistristrate could do this.

W. D. Carter, K.C., Deputy Attorney-General, contended that any common name by which a place or institution was known could be used in a warrant of commitment.

The magistrate, the learned Judge contended, in dismissing the application, used the name in the warrant of commitment which Oskalla was known by everyone with the exception of lawyers.

CLOSE GAMES IN MORNING'S PLAY

Long Games in Ladies' Singles; Weather Brightens Up Play

Play continued this morning in the British Columbia lawn tennis championships, being staged at the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club's courts. Several well contested matches kept the interested spectators on the qui vive.

The best singles match of the morning's play was fought out between Mrs. Boucher and Miss Richards, the former winning in three sets, 6-1, 6-2, 6-4.

Mrs. Diamond, lady champion of British Columbia, succeeded in winning her match from Miss Klopfer, the former being the victor. The consistent driving of the champion to the corners won her the match. One of the best games in the ladies' singles was between Miss Klopfer, a Vancouver star, and Mrs. Unsworth, a local player, the former winning 10-8, 7-5 after an all-morning match.

In the men's singles two of Vancouver's most prominent players, Green and Lacy, played a hard-fought match, the former winning 7-5, 6-4, 10-8, 7-5.

Verde defeated Lacy 6-5, 7-5. O'Halloran defeated Bell 6-5, 7-5. Green defeated Lacy 7-5, 6-3.

Ladies' Singles.

Miss M. Campbell defeated Mrs. Dennison 6-1, 6-0.

Taylor defeated Mrs. J. E. Matthews 6-0, 6-2.

Mrs. Fraser defeated Mrs. Knox 6-2, 6-0.

Mrs. Diamond defeated Miss Henderson 6-1, 7-5.

Miss Klopfer defeated Mrs. Unsworth 10-8, 7-5.

Mrs. Boucher defeated Miss Richards 6-1, 6-3, 6-4.

THE REMAINS OF THE LATE JAMES GEORGE BOWIE WERE FORWARDED BY THE C. P. R. TO VANCOUVER YESTERDAY AFTERNOON FOR INTERMENT.

The late Mr. Bowie was taken suddenly ill while on a motor tour in Washington. He was hurried to a hospital in Seattle, where he died on Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital, following an operation. He is survived by his widow, one daughter and three sons, all of Vancouver.

The death took place yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. Catherine Haines, aged fifty-eight years, born in Scotland, she had been a resident of this city for the past four weeks, and was formerly of Cassidy, B.C. She is survived by two sons and one daughter at home. The remains are reposing at the Sands Funeral Chapel and will be forwarded this morning to Nanaimo, where interment will be made in the family plot.

Australian Policy Is Scathingly Denounced By Ex-Premier Hughes

Melbourne, July 31.—(Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's)—In the House of Representatives yesterday, former Premier W. M. Hughes made a bitter speech against the Government and denounced Premier Bruce's pronouncement of last week on the Government's policy in regard to the Imperial Conference. The ex-premier declared that Bruce had not told Parliament what he intended to say or do in regard to joint action which would preserve Australia's independence. Mr. Hughes contended that the Conference had not been called to discuss abstract questions but conceal matters and alleged that Premier Bruce was equally vague in regard to defence. He urged that there should be no doubt in regard to a policy for Australia. Australia could be defended only with Great Britain's aid and Australia's contribution toward navy upkeep should be generous.

Mr. Hughes ridiculed the idea of a resident Australian Minister in London which Mr. Bruce suggested a week ago.

Alluding to the British proposal to establish a naval base at Singapore, Mr. Hughes said the Singapore base must be supported, but he alleged that Premier Bruce had not said so. Hughes declared that an Imperial Conference was not necessary this year but had been urged by Premier Bruce who wanted to talk tariff preference, which free trade Britain would never grant.

HENRY FORD DID NOT GO TO WORK ON SIXTIETH BIRTHDAY

Detroit, July 31.—Henry Ford celebrated his sixtieth birthday yesterday by remaining away from his private workshop at his Dearborn automobile plant.

TO STAY WITH IT UNTIL B. C. GETS JUSTICE, HE SAYS

Premier Leaves to Continue Rail Rates Struggle Before Privy Council

To carry on the struggle for fair freight rates for British Columbia, Premier Oliver left this afternoon for Ottawa.

"As far as it is in me, I intend to stay with it until B. C. gets justice," the Premier said as his final message.

The hearing will reopen before the Privy Council of Canada on August 9. It was postponed last winter because the House of Commons opened.

The appeal to the Privy Council came as a result of the Premier's dissatisfaction with the incomplete victory of the Province before the Board of Railway Commissioners and his determination to get complete satisfaction for business interests and consumers in the Province.

G. G. McGee, K.C., Government freight rates counsel, will again join the Premier at Ottawa before the Privy Council.

Miss Mildred Oliver, the Premier's daughter, accompanied her father east. She will spend some time at the Oliver family home at Fresherton, Ont.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of John Mowat of 1165 Ouse Street, Victoria, a well-known marine man, was held in Vancouver on Wednesday, July 18. Rev. B. H. West officiated in the presence of many old-time friends. The casket was covered with many beautiful flowers and interment was made in Ocean View Cemetery. The pallbearers were Capt. Walters, E. Road, T. J. Cooper, John Munro, G. Duthie and John Thompson. Mr. Mowat, who passed away in Vancouver following a long illness, was born in Caithness, Scotland, fifty-six years ago. He had made his home in Canada since 1888. A marine engineer by profession, he was in the service of the Union Steamship Co. of Vancouver.

The remains of the late Mrs. Jane E. Dick, who died at her home, 702 Princess Avenue, were laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery yesterday afternoon. Service was held at the Sands Funeral Chapel at 2.30. Relatives and many friends were in attendance and many beautiful flowers covered the casket. Rev. T. Miller officiated, and the hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." J. H. Ferguson, A. M. Ferguson, J. Bourget, M. Baker, J. Ward and J. Birtland acted as pallbearers. Interment was made at Ross Bay cemetery.

Hermann Adolph Muller, who was a resident here thirty years ago, died suddenly in San Francisco last Wednesday. He came to British Columbia from Denmark for two years ago and resided in Victoria for ten years, marrying Miss H. A. Gilder-mister in this city. In later years he has been residing in Vancouver.

The remains of the late James George Bowie were forwarded by the C. P. R. to Vancouver yesterday afternoon for interment. The late Mr. Bowie was taken suddenly ill while on a motor tour in Washington. He was hurried to a hospital in Seattle, where he died on Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital, following an operation. He is survived by his widow, one daughter and three sons, all of Vancouver.

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POLICE CONFIDENT OF SOLUTION TO HOUSE OF MYSTERY

(Continued from page 1.)

found on the wall at the head of the bed, on the south wall of the house; on the wall running along the side of the bed, and also on the back of the door which apparently had been swung back at the time of the tragedy.

From the position of the blood stains it is believed that Mrs. Dick must have received her fatal injuries while lying down on her left side or in a reclining position. Some of the stains, it is believed, were made by the blood being splattered across the length of the room to the rear of the door in the northeast corner.

Even the dishes from the evening meal had been washed up. The windows and doors were locked throughout, and everything about the house in order. There was, it is understood, no sign of a struggle in any room, apart from the bed in the room where the body was found.

From the fact that the doors were locked and no other means of exit left open it is believed that some left by the front door shutting the door by the spring lock after him.

Condition of Axe

Stains were found on the axe at the first examination, it is believed, but these were at first thought to be made by the person chopping wood. The axe was found in a wood shed adjoining the back door on the veranda at that point. The axe has a flat back with a slight declivity in the centre of its surface where the steel appears to have been worn away by hammering. The body had to be interred before a plaster cast could be taken of the wounds in the head.

Confusion and difficulties that have arisen over the Lorenz murder reward make it entirely improbable that a reward will be offered by the city for information leading to the conviction of the person who murdered Mrs. Jane Dick in her home here late last week, City Hall officials said to-day.

The Lorenz murder reward is still in the City Treasury and will remain there until the Provincial Government decides to whom it will give its claim for the reward.

The City is not legally obligated to pay the reward at all, according to City Solicitor H. S. Pringle, but a majority of aldermen believe that there is a moral obligation to hand over the money to the person who gave information leading to the conviction of the murderer. The city is also who is entitled to the money.

As a result of all the trouble over the Lorenz reward, the civic authorities are tired of the whole business and have no intention of offering another reward in the present murder case, it was said at the City Hall to-day.

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At the THEATRES

CAPITOL

Never equalled before excepting in a nightmare!
The statement applies to perhaps the weirdest effect ever flashed on the screen, which it is to be seen in Emory Johnson's latest film effort, "Westbound Limited."

Imagine the monster locomotive of a fast, transcontinental passenger train bearing down upon you full tilt as you strain vainly to extricate yourself from your saddle horse, which has caught a hoof in the tracks, broken an ankle and fallen in a helpless heap.

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Pantages—Vaudeville.
Capitol—"Westbound Limited."
Dominion—"Down to the Sea in Ships."
Columbia—"Thunder Clap."
Royal—Tom Mix.

Already in your mind you mirror your fate! Perhaps you see the merciless flying wheels whirling over you—or the "cow-catcher" hurl you skyward as if catapulted, or you see pass over you, in a dizzying swirl, until your senses leave you, the swishing rods of the trucks as you cower in a hollow between the rails. It is the latter effect which is reproduced with such realism in "Westbound Limited" that the most inveterate movie fans, who had thought that there was little, if anything, left in the repertoire of the directors that could thrill him, will experience a new sensation.

No such spinal shock has been ad-

ministered to theatre audiences in years. Towering above you on the screen and being propelled toward you at eighty miles an hour, comes the big limited train, until the screen is entirely swallowed by the growing Frankenstein. Then, in a twinkling, you are virtually cast underneath the hurrying hurricane of iron and steel, and you see passing overhead the great bolted and trussed "belly" of the express—a sight that in real life you would not see and live through the experience.

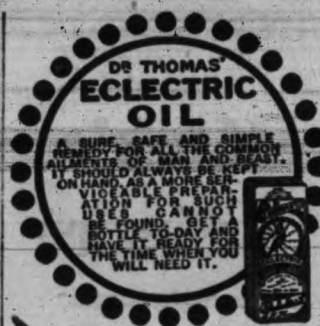
This sensational effect comes early in the picture. If Emory Johnson, the director, put it there to insure a wide-awake audience (latterly some productions have been listed by an Eastern physician as excellent soporifics for the sleepless), he assuredly has achieved his object.

"Westbound Limited" is being shown at the Capitol this week.

TOM MIX STARS AT THE ROYAL

"Just Tony" Will Be Presented for Balance of Week

That Western melodrama, which possesses artistry in its pantomimic silence and charm in its unfolding story, is still the most favored of motion picture themes was clearly demonstrated to-day at the Royal Victoria Theatre, where Tom Mix, the Wil-



liam Fox star, and his far-famed steed, Tony, returned in a feature length Fox production, "Just Tony," adapted from the familiar novel, "Alcatraz," by Max Brand. Spontaneous cheers from the audience and prolonged applause repeated throughout the running of the picture gave evidence of the popular enjoyment which such clear-cut drama carries with it.

The story is that of a horse whose feelings are so stirred by the cruelty of his human captors that he turns against them and enters upon a career of devastation and ruin of all man's belongings.

The training of the horse is superb and the intelligence exhibited by the quadruped is beyond belief. "Just Tony" is a picture exceedingly entertaining. It is more than worth seeing.

'SPICE OF 1922' WAS SPECTACULAR REVUE

Daring Effects Presented at Royal Victoria Theatre Last Night

Highly spectacular and at times daring in its effects, the revue "Spice of 1922" presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre last evening brought to this city a taste of the fare presented to the jaded palate of the "tired business man" of New York. And with it came several startling innovations, one of which was the use of luminous bronze paints and vivid enamelling as covering for the human form in place of the customary lights hitherto prescribed for theatrical use.

Magnificently staged and beautifully costumed—when costumes were worn—this Winter Garden production fully justified its title. Early in the revue a rural censor of inquisitive turn of mind was told by the manager that "variety is the spice of life." His comment was fully justified, for the variety of entertainment presented was so bewildering as to become a medley of dancing, attempts at moralizing, songs and comedy, with that entire absence of connective theme which seems to be the requisite of successful revue.

Comedy in plenty was supplied by El Brendel, who created much diversion by his Swedish impersonations, and Sam Healy, who as the Censor did little apparent censoring. Some very clever dancing was presented by Arthur Corey and Elsie Wachtel, but the singing was noticeably weak and the music poor. "Spice of 1922" depended entirely upon its merits as a spectacle for its appeal, but the generous applause which greeted the production throughout showed that the audience was fully appreciative of these merits.

DOMINION

The latest use to which a motor driven craft has been put, in the production of motion pictures, is in the filming of a realistic whale pursuit in the Caribbean, a chase which for thrills and adventure outranked by

CAPITOL

TO-DAY
Breathless Thrills!
Soul-Shaking Drama!
Restless Romance!

Ralph Lewis

In
"Westbound Limited"

A rushing, roaring kaleidoscope of staggering scenic marvels.
Percy S. Burraston
On the Capitol Concert Organ

DOMINION

TO-DAY
ELMER CLIFTON'S

"Down to the Sea in Ships"

See the great Whaling Scene. The supreme thrill of Motion Picture History.

The wounded and maddened 90-Ton Whale had turned on his captors, resulting in The Most Sensational Thrill Ever Screened.

NOTE: Feature starts at 2:30; 4:45; 7:00 and 9:15 p. m.

COLUMBIA

TO-DAY

The Greatest Race Track Drama Ever Staged.

"Thunderclap"

A drama bringing to the screen a glimpse of turf life.

Comedy—"The Chased Bride"

COMING THURSDAY

Tom Mix

In—

3 Jumps Ahead

far anything of a similar nature ever attempted. Equipped with a specially constructed gyroscopic motion picture camera, a small motor yacht not only ventured far out to sea, but was actually in at the attack and death of a monster sea mammal, a 90-ton whale which measured more than 80 feet in length, and from the head of which was extracted fully one hundred barrels of rich sperm oil.

By reason of the specially constructed gyroscopic camera being used, every phase and thrilling incident of the perilous chase, and of the final dispatching of the sea monster was faithfully recorded, and those who see the Elmer Clifton production, "Down to the Sea in Ships," which is being shown at the Dominion Theatre this week, will be enabled to see an accurate portrayal upon the silver sheet of what at one time ranked among the leading industries of seafaring men.

With the ordinary type of stationary motion picture camera, the rise and fall of the camera-bearing boat and the choppy sea, would be barely discernible upon the projection screen. However, by using this specially constructed gyroscopic camera this was overcome, and in the attack on the 90-ton bull whale, which, enraged and maddened by pain, turned on its attackers and completely demolished their small boat, every incident of the near catastrophe was picture.

COLUMBIA

"Thunderclap," the big William Fox picture, opened at the Columbia Theatre yesterday for a run of three days. This production brought with it some of the greatest sporting incidents that have ever been shown on the local screen as well as an excellent cast.

Mary Carr, the great mother in "Over the Hill," played the leading part with Violet Mersereau, Paul Willis, J. Barney Sherry, John Daly Murphy and others supporting. Again the "great mother" scored, but this time she was deprived of the use of her body and speech. A great opportunity for Mary Carr and a wonderful performance by her.

Paul H. Sloane, scenarist of "The Thief," "Tiger" Club, "Over the Hill," "Beyond Price" and several other successful William Fox productions, adapted the story to the screen, while Richard Stanton, a widely known Fox director, made the picture.

The truly remarkable scene showing Young Tommy, on top of a board, riding a tempestuous rapid was thrill number one. The second was the horse race. This race set the spectators applauding and shouting for victory.

The picture told the story of a conventional girl brought by her stepfather to his gambling establishment to act as hostess. She discovered that her mother was paralyzed and unable to move or speak. Although the girl did not know it, this injury was inflicted by her stepfather because the mother threatened to reveal his crooked methods. The hero, working as servant to the gambler, rescued the girl from an opium den in Chinatown and rode his horse to victory, thus preventing his sweetheart's marriage to the gambler's friend of her stepfather. A customer who had found out the crookedness of the stepfather killed him just as he was about to shoot the mother of the girl.

The shock of the tragedy restored the mother's power to move and speak and she was left to comfort her daughter and her daughter's sweetheart.

FEATURE BILL IS AT PANTAGES NOW

The Pantages performance is featured to-night by the Alexandria Opera Company, with four male and four female voices. Selections from "Pagliacci," "Il Trovatore," "Rigoletto," "Carmen," "The Bartered Bride," "Hoffmann," and "The Good-bye," all will be featured on the programme of this excellent aggregation of singers. The act is presented by Miss Mildred Perkins.

Dobbe, Clark and Dare have a wonderfully fine comedy act to bring before the Victoria people, entitled "Vaudeville Remnants," in which singing, dancing and tumbling all go to make the presentation a vast success.

Way Dalton and Jane Craig present their latest success, "Aladdin's Lamp," an artistic offering of dancing, singing and sparkling comedy. This is a truly classical act. It is followed by "When Help Needs Help," a most farcical novelty which shows prove most attractive. Renzetti and Gray present this amusing bit of comedy, interspersed with singing and animated conversation.

Two eminent artists, Selbini and Albert, from the Coliseum, London, will present their international success, "The Butterfly and the Cat." This is expected to be a great surprise and should prove very attractive and amusing.

Besides the many vaudeville "stunts," Manager Jamieson has secured a motion picture, "The Midnight Guest," which is filled with the most hilarious comedy, and is one of the finest pictures of its kind.

MUSIC LOVERS' NIGHT AT ROYAL

To-night will be music-lovers' night at the Royal Victoria Theatre, when the Royal augmented orchestra will play a special programme of music which will include the following numbers:

Overture—"Pique Dame"....Suppe
Selection—"Bombo".....Jolson
Intermezzo—"Down in Zanibar"....Anelli
Fox Trot—"Apple Sauce".....

PANTAGES

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Women's Fancy Cotton Crepe Bloomers and Step-in Drawers, in shades of pink, blue, mauve and maize. Very special value at, per pair, \$1.00

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3 dozen Stamped Luncheon Sets, in China blue on white; neat and easily worked designs. Specially priced for Wednesday morning's selling, at \$1.00

Women's Cotton Bathing Suits

Women's Navy Cotton Bathing Suits, trimmed red, white or orange made with overskirt. Splendid quality and in all sizes, 36 to 44. Regular values to \$2.75. Wednesday morning at 98¢

AT

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Bathing Caps at

Half Price

Clearing the balance of our stock of Women's Rubber Bathing Caps at "Half Price." Included are the favored styles in all the wanted gay colors. Wednesday morning at HALF PRICE.

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Clearance of Silk Gauntlet Gloves

Clearing odd lines and broken sizes of Women's Kayser and Niagara Maid Silk Gauntlet Gloves in shades of ponce, grey, navy and mode. Regular to \$3.25 for \$1.95

AT

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PER PAIR

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Blouses

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Greatly reduced for a speedy clearance. Wednesday morning. Girls' Middy Blouses regulation and Balkan styles for sizes 6, 8 and 10 years. A big bargain at 90¢

"Quick-On" Veils

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English Quick-On Veils in black, taupe, purple and brown. Splendid for motor or sports wear. Exceptional value Wednesday morning at 2 for 25¢

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In fancy two-tone colors.

Shadowsheen Lisle

Hose, 98¢ Pair

English Shadowsheen Lisle Hose in grey, brown, navy and champagne. Not every size in each shade, but all sizes in the lot. Regular \$1.50 Wednesday morning, at, per pair 98¢

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AT

59¢

PER PAIR

LLOYD GEORGE JUST WANTS TO THANK CANADIANS

Montreal, July 31.—"My visit to Canada is to be entirely social. I am making no political campaign. I simply want to drop around to say 'thank you' to the Canadians for the magnificent service they rendered us during the recent war."

In a cablegram to local officials Mr. Lloyd George made this statement relative to his visit to Canada this fall under the auspices of the World Brotherhood Congress, which is meeting in Toronto on October 14, 15 and 16.

Mr. Lloyd George will go as far west as Winnipeg. After leaving Winnipeg he will spend a few days in the United States.

NINE WERE KILLED IN WRECK

Terre Haute, Ind., July 31.—Nine persons were killed when a Pennsylvania eastbound passenger train crashed into an automobile at a level crossing eight miles west of here. The train was traveling about fifty miles an hour and two hours

late because of a similar accident near Highland, Ill., in which four persons were killed.

The dead are: Mrs. Stella Bostwick, her five children; Mrs. Ethel Slavens, her daughter, and Raymond Thomas, the driver. The victim at the Highland accident are: John S. Ezze, forty; Sora Denka, thirty; Joe Lengyle, thirty-five, and John S. Ezze, Jr., fourteen.

Stockton, Cal., July 31.—One man was killed, eight persons overcome, and from \$800,000 to \$1,000,000 worth of property was destroyed by fire in the heart of the business district here yesterday. Homer Felix, 31, principal of the Porterville schools, was killed in a leap from the second story of the Pison Hotel.

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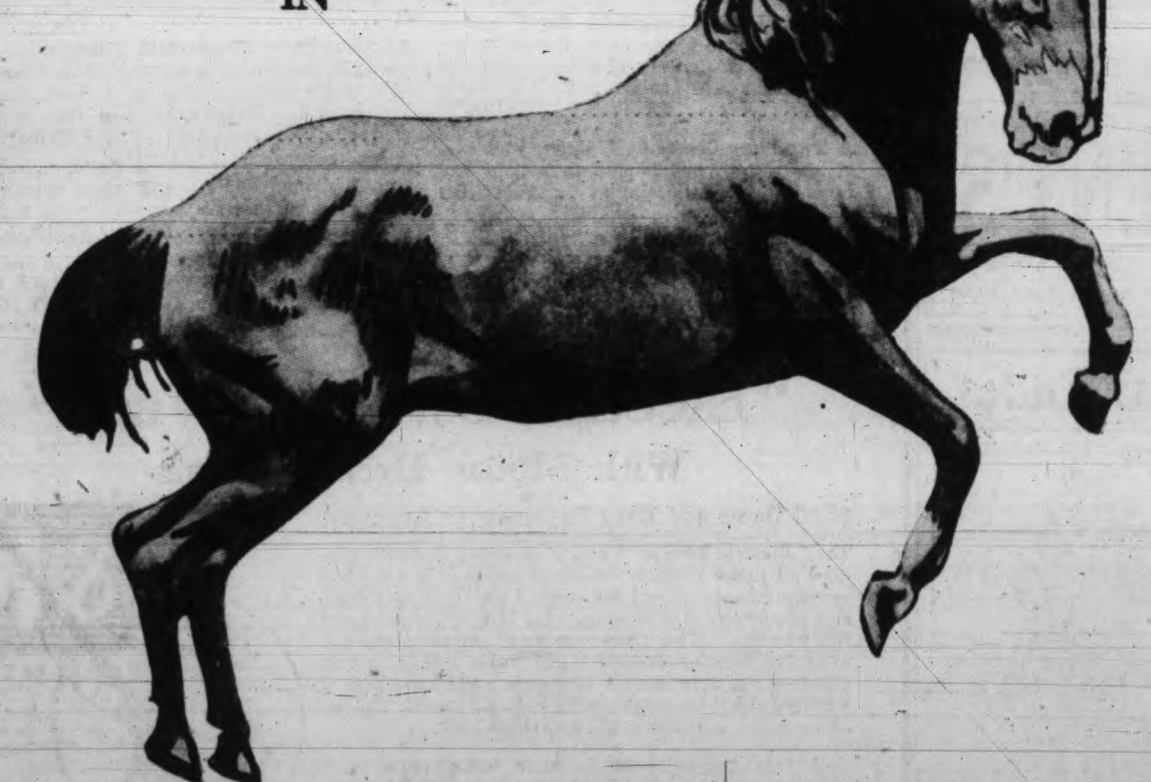
Prices, Matinee, Adults, 25¢
Evening, Adults, 25¢, 35¢
Children, 10¢, All Day.

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TOM MIX

IN



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PRESIDENT HARDING.

More than ordinary concern for the early recovery of President Harding will be manifested by every Canadian if only because of the bond of intimacy which he forged with the people of this country when he visited Vancouver last week. Apart from this consideration, however, the expressions of good will that will go out from this Dominion to a good friend will not be one whit less genuine than the sympathy that is already being extended by the millions in the republic to the South of us.

It must be a great disappointment to the President himself and to the happy party which accompanied him and his charming consort to these shores a few days ago to have to forego any part of a tour which had been looked forward to by so many Americans who were eagerly awaiting their first sight of the chief executive of the nation. Such long and exacting tours are not capable of arrangement except at rare intervals or when political exigencies dictate. And under these latter circumstances there is not that same opportunity to meet and mingle with the people as there is on a pilgrimage that is not so intimately associated with the fortunes of party. On this account the present intervention of the hand of Fate is to be the more especially regretted.

From what one has been permitted to learn of President Harding's understanding of how to live there springs the buoyant hope that his rugged constitution and a physique that betrays a recognition of the necessity for recreation will triumph over the serious ailment with which he has been stricken. In any case he will not require to be told how British peoples everywhere will await with genuine anxiety the more hopeful pronouncements from the sick chamber.

QUICK OR DEAD.

A report that the Hon. J. H. King described the Canadians who had gone to the United States as "dead" in his speech at the Liberal picnic on Saturday evening is the text of a half column of editorial admonition and criticism in The Colonist this morning, with the reservation that the obnoxious term might not have been used, in which case, we presume, the Minister would have our contemporary's solemn benediction instead of its rebuke. It would have been good policy for the morning paper to have satisfied itself definitely on what the Minister really did say before indulging in its qualified criticism, but that, of course, is its own business.

Dr. King intended no offensive reflection upon the Canadians who have left Canada for the neighboring republic, but emphasized the necessity of bringing to Canada live, enterprising immigrants to take the places of those who have left the country and who are dead to the Dominion as far as their places in its citizenship are concerned. And to that conception we most heartily subscribe. Canadians in the United States certainly are not quick assets to Canada. Many of them have become citizens of the republic and never will come back. We shall hope for a glorious resurrection in the return of many others to Canadian soil, but our business is not to shed tears over them, but to replace them in the meantime with live, human assets, with people who will help to develop this country's resources.

It might as well be pointed out that not all of the emigrants from Canada to the United States left because they had no employment, but rather because they considered that their prospects of material advancement were greater in the republic than on this side of the line, and their destinations for the most part were the big attractive American cities, where, owing to conditions of economic inflation, wages have been larger than in Canada. What Canada needs are not more city dwellers, but settlers for our undeveloped hinterlands, wealth producers such as came to the Dominion between 1910 and 1913 by the thousands and who became live assets of the country, tenacious of their new Canadian citizenship and willing to make present sacrifices for ultimate advancement. Instead of worrying about the people who have gone, we should concern ourselves with bringing people in, and that, of course, is what the Minister of Public Works very properly emphasized Saturday evening.

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS.

There is nothing very surprising in the findings of the Parliamentary Committee of the British House of Commons which has gone into the question of the publicity which is usually given to divorce cases by some newspapers. As was to be expected the press of the Old Country rose up almost as a unit and affirmed its right to permit good taste to dictate what should and should not be printed and what is and what is not an offence against good morals. In this attitude the Committee has concurred in the main and contents itself with a recommendation in favor of an amendment to the bill that is now before the House—a measure very largely trimming the present freedom in such matters—which would

exclude from the reports of proceedings such matter as medical or psychological details that are calculated to run contrary to the canons of decency.

There would seem to be very little likelihood of any objection being raised to a prohibition of this kind. For it is a well known fact that except in one or two glaring and well known instances the press of Britain is not given to the exhibition of matter that reveals a disregard for the ethics of good journalism in favor of the most objectionable form of sensationalism. It is, of course, admitted on all sides that any unintelligent attempt to stifle the press is bound to react upon the alleged reformers. At the same time it must be said that the journal which relies largely upon "spice" for its circulation will eventually choke itself. There are very few newspapermen or publishers on either side of the Atlantic who require to be taught that they should not use anything beyond the news that is fit to print. But an unfettered press is an excellent safety valve.

PRINCE RUPERT GRUMBLES!

Most of the electors of this Province will wonder how on earth The Prince Rupert Daily News can complain of the manner in which both Mr. Pattullo and Mr. Manson have looked after the Northern port and that part of British Columbia generally. We seem to be familiar with the manner in which the Minister of Lands, and the member for Omineca seize every opportunity to focus the attention of the rest of the Province upon the great possibilities of the coast and central sections of British Columbia. There is still green in our memory a recollection of how not only Conservatives but Liberals as well led Mr. Pattullo and Mr. Manson quite a merry dance when they stood solidly behind an appropriation of something like \$400,000 for that Prince Rupert Court House. It is not necessary to report the fact that their efforts were successful because the building in question furnishes tangible proof.

Does our esteemed contemporary really mean to contend that a Prince Rupert party is essential to the interests of that thriving community? Will it seriously suggest that the columns of the newspapers of the Province and the pages of the legislative votes and proceedings do not bear witness to the faithful representation of the Prince Rupert constituency by Mr. Pattullo? Will it say that in all these successful efforts Mr. Manson has not been an ardent advocate of the interests of the city in which he has lived the greater part of his parliamentary life? Or will The News take a much more moderate view and realize that it has done well and will by no means be forgotten as long as the Minister of Lands remains wedded to hopes for great things at the Northern port? We are inclined to believe that if our contemporary will ponder over its complaints they will melt very materially.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Francisco Villa has left his earthly troubles; but those of his several widows are about to commence. No less than five and a small army of children already have filed claims.

Those people who bought German marks from the Montreal firm of exchange brokers on the promise of an early recovery in value are no doubt wishing that the dollars they have spent had been put to work in good Canadian undertakings. It all goes to show, however, that there will always be plenty of ways for people to lose money.

Plans are now being laid by Government-aided concerns in Britain to construct airships that will make the journey from the Old Country to India in one hundred hours and make weekend trips to Canada feasible. The programme may sound ambitious; but it will not do to say that in ten years from now the trans-Atlantic liner will not have a very serious aerial rival.

The little Welshman will not experience any satisfaction from the fact that two National Liberals have crossed the floor of the British House of Commons to the Conservative side. And the Labor Party will wonder why Mr. Roberts, the former food controller, should have gone from Labor to National Liberal and from National Liberal to Conservative.

It is gratifying to learn that work on the construction of the new B. C. Coast Service depot on Belleville Street will be commenced within a few weeks. The structure when completed will be a good thing for the great transportation organization to whom it will belong, and to Victoria as well. Nobody knows C. P. R. business better than the sagacious executives of that renowned corporation, but we suggest that a fine new office building for the various railroad activities congested in the present premises at the corner of Fort and Government Streets would be a thing of beauty and a joy forever, not to speak of the utility of it.

OUR CONTEMPORARIES

MISUNDERSTAND JUSTICE.

Halifax Chronicle:—There are only two ways of not being bound by the law. One is to be wise, so prudent, so far-sighted, so willing to accept the majority opinion, that one does not feel the law as in any way touching him. In other words, to be so law-abiding as to be above the law itself. The other way is to set all law at defiance, to throw a brick into the delicate works regulating society, to set oneself over, and follow, claiming privilege when one should feel responsibility. This is to be a Bolshevik, another name for one who does not understand justice.

SERVES ITS PURPOSE.

Yorkton (Sask.) Press:—The recent action of the Senate in voting down expenditures for branch lines in Saskatchewan, including the Willowbrook extension, is only one of a series of odd jobs which that body has performed on behalf of large Eastern interests. Its leader, Sir James Lougheed, quite frankly admitted several years ago that its purpose was to serve as a bulwark against the caprice of the mob. Lifted beyond the effective control of public opinion, it has been preserved in its present form because it is extremely useful to the few as a check upon the popular Chamber.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and to the point. The Editor reserves the right to shorten the chance of insertion. All communications must be signed and the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

CANCER RESEARCH.

To the Editor:—I have had occasion more than once to speak of the cancer problem and the constant endowment given to cancer research, but as there is a renewed appeal launched in England, I would like to ask your readership yet further in order that those not familiar with the question may be enlightened.

The Imperial Cancer Research Fund started in 1902 with an endowment of £150,000. The Cancer Hospital Research Institute was started a few years before the war. The Middlesex Hospital Cancer Research Laboratories were formed in 1909, and there are many provincial laboratories. Thousands of pounds have for the last 20 years been donated to carrying on this research, and yet the death rate is still increasing. (The figures per million 1918-22 were 173, while in 1921 they were 1215.) It is obvious that research has contributed nothing useful in combating the disease.

In The Morning Post of June 7, there appeared a letter from Hon. Stephen Coleridge pointing out that a fund of £140,000 already existed for the purpose and asking why this was not used before further demands were made on the public for support. The Medical Press (June 6) makes the following pertinent remark: "The elusive nature of its causation and cure has, in the course of years, converted the research study of its problem into an industry from which many gain a livelihood. If the cause of the disease and its cure were known at this day, much disturbance of vested interests would follow."

Is this the essence of the urgent appeal for more funds? Shall we countenance vivisection that certain persons may be assured an income? Had nothing been done in the way of research before this wide spread appeal was announced? What has come of it all? The editor of Truth supplies the answer "Nothing! Less, indeed, than nothing!"

The British Red Cross (diverted from its original purpose) is apparently associated with this appeal for the headquarters of the fund are at the society's office. So strong is public opinion on this question that one organization in London has already petitioned the King, protesting against his unconstitutional act in contributing the sum of £100 to the cancer appeal fund.

Many persons do not believe in torturing animals or human beings in the hope of finding a cure for our diseases. On the contrary, it is believed that these methods not only delay the real discovery of disease, but in many cases they help to induce it. Can we sow disease and reap health?

PERTINAX.

Victoria, B. C., July 27, 1923.

EXTRAVAGANCE IN AIR IS CHARGED

Report of Select Committee Critical of British Air Ministry

London, July 31.—A great tendency toward extravagance and lack of financial control is the criticism levelled against the British Air Ministry in the report of the Select Committee on the Air Force just investigated. The practice of giving entertainment allowances to the higher grade officers without the latter being asked to account for their expenses is especially subjected to adverse comment. Thus, it is pointed out, the air attaché in Washington, in addition to his salary, gets £120 a year for entertaining without being required to show how it was spent, while the Air Marshal receives £365 entertainment allowance. The appropriations under this head in the present year's estimates total £9,200, of which £5,000 are for the air attaches and £4,200 for the senior ranks of the air service.

Complaint is also made in the report that when "men of the air force are serving abroad and exchange is against them, the Government makes up the difference, but in the reverse case there is no corresponding return to the Government."

The committee is further puzzled as to why group captains and chaplains after eighteen years' service should by rule be entitled to servants except that perhaps "as the officers advance in rank, there is a certain dignity to be kept up which is recognized in all walks of life."

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, July 31.—5 a. m.—The barometer is again low and fine weather becoming general on the Pacific Slope. Rain has fallen on the Coast, in Central B. C. and from Calgary eastward to Manitoba.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.07; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 54; wind, 16 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 56; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.95; temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .01; weather, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 48; wind, calm; rain, .04; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 52; wind, calm; rain, .29; weather, cloudy.

Castroville—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, foggy.

Calgary—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 34; rain, .16.

Qu'Appelle—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 61; minimum, 50; rain, 1.44 inches.

Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 60; rain, .02.

Temperature.

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Kaslo 50 30

Toronto 50 30

Ottawa 50 30

Montreal 50 30

St. John 50 30

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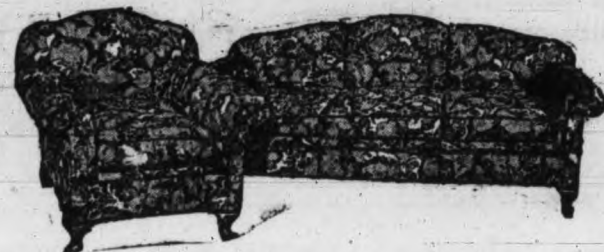
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An Eight-Piece Fumed Oak Suite at \$119.00	A Nine-Piece Walnut Suite for \$270.00
A Six-Piece Old English Oak Suite at \$139.00	An Eight-Piece Mahogany Suite for \$315.00
An Eight-Piece Golden Oak Suite for \$149.00	A Nine-Piece Jacobean Oak Suite for \$275.00
An Eight-Piece Fumed Oak Suite for \$159.00	A Nine-Piece Walnut Suite for \$390.00
An Eight-Piece Golden Oak Suite for \$165.00	An Eight-Piece Mahogany Suite for \$395.00
An Eight-Piece Suite of Old English Quartered Oak for \$279.00	A Nine-Piece Mahogany Suite for \$395.00

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—Drapery, Second Floor

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At August Sale Prices

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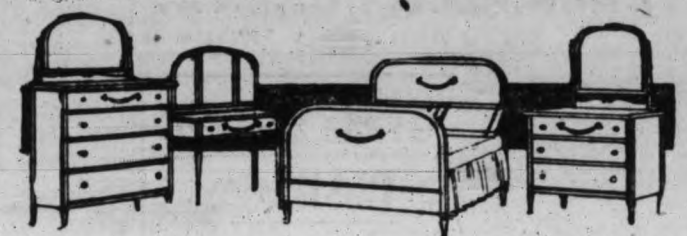
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—Linoleums, Second Floor

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MR. CAT MEETS MR. FOX—Part I.

Once there lived near a wood a big cat who was not afraid of dogs. All the cats were afraid of him. He grew so bold that he thought he was braver than any animal around.

One day he decided to live in the woods and live with the wood folk and he had not gone very far when he met a fox. "Good morning, friend," said the fox, "are you looking for a home?"

"Yes," replied the cat, "I am far too brave to live around with those cats and dogs outside the woods. I can scare any of them, so I have decided to become wild and live in the woods."

"Um," said the fox, all the time thinking how he could use this silly cat to help him in some way. "Well, come to my den. It is large enough for us both until you grow big and get a tail like mine and by that time you will find a home of your own."

"I should like a tail like yours very much," replied the cat, who had not taken his eyes off of the bushy tail of the fox, "but how can I ever hope to have such a handsome one as you have?"

"Easiest thing in the world to get if you are willing to follow my instructions," said the fox.

By the time they reached the den Mr. Cat was willing to do anything to grow big and have a tail like the fox.

"We had better not lose time," said Mr. Fox. "The sooner we begin the treatment the quicker you will grow wild and get our bushy tail. The first thing to be done is for you to do all the work, I mean exercise—you must get plenty of exercise, build the fire and cook the supper!"

Mr. Cat was willing and he was pretty hungry, so when the chicken was done he hurriedly drew up his chair beside Mr. Fox and passed his plate.

"Oh, I forgot to mention that another thing to be strictly followed is a vegetable diet," said the fox. "Nothing but green stuff must you eat if you expect to get a tail like mine. You had better run out and eat your fill of grass and then run down the path to the river and drink all the water you can hold."

Though he did not care for this part of the plan, Mr. Cat cast one long glance at the bushy tail he so coveted and he ran.

When he returned Mr. Fox sat with his feet on the stove, tipped back in his chair, smoking. "Now wash the dishes and tidy up the place and then we will go to bed."

Mr. Cat was so hungry that he shyly licked the bones Mr. Fox had left and he was glad to sleep and forget he was hungry.

The next morning bright and early Mr. Fox had him out of bed to cook his breakfast—two plump chickens he had brought home very early.

"Exercise, my friend," he said, "plenty of it, or you will never grow a bushy tail."

Mr. Fox gave his own a flint just to show Mr. Cat what he must work hard for, if he ever expected to win the prize—a tail such as his.

Poor Mr. Cat could eat bones, he was so hungry by this time, and because he dared not trust him with the chickens in the pantry Mr. Fox told Mr. Cat that when he had cooked his breakfast he might run out and catch a bird for himself, though he would of course lose time in getting the tail and growing wild.

Mr. Fox took care to walk out and show off all he could while Mr. Cat was doing the work and every little while he would remark how fine Mr. Cat would look with the handsome coat he already had, and the beautiful bushy tail he was certain to grow if he followed all of his instructions.

(Continued to-morrow)

To-morrow's story—"Mr. Cat Meets Mr. Fox"—Part II.

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IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

PRINCE OF WALES TO HOLIDAY AT ALBERTA RANCH

Written for the Canadian Press By Mrs. Cecil Chesterton

London, July 22.—(By Mail)—At the moment London is in the grip of a huge but friendly invasion. Never have the hotels been so full of visitors—from the Colonies, Continent and the United States. Everywhere one meets Americans, most of them in horn-rimmed spectacles and Holland suits which look as attractive as they are cool. Meanwhile the home-grown Englishman clings tightly—literally as well as figuratively—to his conventional suit of cloth. No matter how brilliant the sun shines across and treads are "the thing." Up West top hats, stiff collars and morning coats are endured with patience if not pleasure, while the women in contempt of tradition are cool and comfortable with bare necks, bare arms and wispy draperies of muslin and crepe de Chine.

There seems to be a fashionable exodus overseas, as not only is the Prince of Wales to enjoy an autumnal holiday on his ranch in Alberta but Eleanor Duse is to visit Montreal following her appearance in New York. The increase in the number of passengers to the Dominions during the last month is possibly unaffected by the enforcement of "dry" ships by Washington. The arrival of the Leviathan, the much-heralded teetotaler, has caused much amusement over here. Every passenger was allowed to bring on board his or her private stock of liquor which they were permitted to hand round to their friends at meals, always providing that none of the ship's officials were asked to touch the pernicious stuff either in glass or in bottle.

Everyone is much interested in the visit of the British Ladies' Lawn Tennis team to Canada. The team will first compete in tournaments in the United States, arriving in the Dominion towards the end of August, when it is hoped that Canadian talent will be ready to meet the home-grown variety.

"The Playbox," a part of the "Help the Theatre" movement started by Mr. Basil Dean, opened on Thursday last with John Mascefield's "Melloney Hotspur." The play is one idea that the dead have an active influence on the lives of the friends and relatives. The spiritualists are very keen on this latest manifestation of the power of spooks and Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is likely to put in an appearance at the debate on the meaning of the drama which takes place next week. This is one of the signs that show how the theatrical season has gained in impetus these last few weeks. A number of new productions are being announced and despite the wonderful weather the theatres are full.

Miss Josephine O'Donoghue, who has been visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Hon. W. H. and Mrs. Sutherland, Oak Bay, left to-day for Prince Rupert.

Mrs. Simon Leiter has gone over to Vancouver, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Milton Oppenheimer at Pine Crescent for a few weeks.

Mayor J. R. Colley, of Kamloops, with Mrs. Colley and Master Colley, have arrived in the city for a vacation, and have taken up their residence at Oak Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Luxton, of Melbourne, Australia, are registered at the Empress Hotel, where they are George Russell are also here from the game city.

Miss Flora McIvor, of Orillia Street, who has been spending the past two weeks in Courtenay as the guest of Miss Campbell, returned home yesterday afternoon.

J. Connorton of the Digby Island marine station was a passenger on the C. P. R. steamer Queen Charlotte on her last southbound voyage, routed for Victoria on a holiday trip.

Mr. W. Melander, of Seattle, after spending a few days in Victoria as the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Ridgway-Wilson, George Road, is leaving to-day for Los Angeles on a business trip.

Dr. and Mrs. Green, Miss Lillicot Green and Mr. Lloyd Green, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Bennett of New Westminster have returned from a motor trip of Vancouver Island.

Mrs. W. Adams, of 515 Springfield Avenue, has returned home from Venice, California, where she attended the marriage of her daughter, Mabel. While in the South, Mrs. Adams visited many holiday resorts and beauty spots.

Mr. and Mrs. Service, Lake Hill, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion, to Flight-Lieutenant Arthur Thomas Cowley, of the Royal Canadian Air Force, Vancouver, son of the late Canon Cowley, of Winnipeg and Victoria. The wedding will take place about the end of August.

MRS. HEARST NOT TO RUN FOR CONGRESS

New York, July 31.—Mrs. William R. Hearst, wife of the publisher, who was mentioned recently as a possible Tammany candidate for congress, would not accept a nomination, she says in a telegram from California.

"I think it would be an excellent thing for the great city of New York to send a woman to congress," the telegram read, "but I personally have other opportunities for service which take up my full time and attention."

The Ladies' Auxiliary to St. Andrew's Cathedral Society held their regular meeting on Thursday night and the following sisters were installed as officers for the ensuing term: President, Mrs. Stephen; first vice-president, Mrs. Ridgway; second vice-president, Mrs. Jessiman; warden, Mrs. McNair; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Cameron; financial secretary, Mrs. Law; treasurer, Mrs. Smith; chaplain, Mrs. Ward; and Mrs. McIntyre; pianist, Mrs. Watson; Past President, Mrs. Richdale was presented with a gold pin by Sister Reuben. It was decided to hold the annual picnic at the Willows Beach on Saturday, August 11, two o'clock. The sisters are all asked to meet at the Japanese Gardens at the Gorge on Tuesday night, when Sister Sneddon, who is to leave for the south, will be the guest of honor.

YOUR HOME AND YOU

By HELEN KENDALL

The Milkman's Tribute

The milkman came down the side path from the little suburban house with two empty bottles in his hand, and sprang expertly into the white and gilt van at the curb. As he handed the two shining bottles over to his assistant, he said wisely:

"Now there's a good housekeeper! Look at them bottles—just as clean as 'sparkles' as if they were out of glass. I bet her shiny closet an' everything in her house is kept as clean as a pin. Some women, you know, think an empty milk bottle don't have to be clean. They leave the dregs of the milk in 'em, an' it gets sour an' smells up the van somethin' fierce. They bottles I brought I didn't have to stop at them houses at all, to leave milk or collect bottles."

"Course lots o' women ain't as bad as that. Some o' them sticks the bottle under the fasset a minute and swishes a little water round in it an' lets it go at that, an' they ain't so bad, either. But o' course some women sticks to the neck of the bottle and that gets sour an' smells bad. They don't seem to know that they's a little brush you kin get at the ten-cent store that'll clean out a bottle bright as a dollar in two seconds."

"Now take this here housekeeper—I bet she takes 'an' puts her milk bottles in the hot dish water, with plenty o' soap in it, and scrapes the insides off with one o' these here brushes. Then I bet yo' she sticks 'em under the fasset, an' she rinses it off, fashin' out 't shows it. It tells me that she's the best housekeeper on this here hull block."

"O' course milk bottles has to be washed an' sterilized again anyhow, an' I s'pose some o' these careless women fashin' they'll be wastin' their time washin' 'em; but I tell you it sure is a give-away when you see a woman's empty milk bottles standin' on her back porch all smeared up with old sour milk!"

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SPENCER'S STAFF

TO HOLD OUTING

About 800 Will Journey to Port Angeles From This City To-morrow

The staff and employees of David Spencer's, Limited, have chartered a Canadian Pacific steamer to carry the annual party of picnickers to Port Angeles. It was decided to visit the American city this year, as the employees of the store showed a keen interest in the annual outing, in order to make the affair as attractive as possible. The ship will leave Victoria on Wednesday, 3.30 a.m. advanced time, arriving in Port Angeles about 10.30. The picnickers are to carry their own basket lunches with them, and as over eight hundred are expected to attend, every facility for the handling of baggage and other freight will probably be looked after by a committee formed for that special purpose.

A long list of sporting events has been arranged by the entertainment committee, including inter-departmental races and other equally interesting competitive events.

Nothing likely to add to the enjoyment and entertainment of those who attend the outing has been left undone by those in charge of arrangements. The ship will return with its cargo of holidaying humanity about 6.30.

The employees of the local concern rarely journey so far afield in search of recreation, and as the rule go no farther than one of the islands off the coast. Last Summer the picnic was held on Mayne Island. Always the festive day has been filled with pleasure and merriment, and it is expected that this year's outing will be even more to the liking of the excursionists.

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SUNLIGHT SOAP

GIRL GUIDES BREAK CAMP

The Victoria Girl Guides' camp at Sooke is closing to-day. The first batch of campers was expected to arrive back at the local headquarters of the Board of Trade Building early this afternoon, and the second batch at 6 o'clock. Kit will not come in until to-morrow. Guides who have been in camp will be able to get their kit from headquarters after 1 p.m. on Wednesday.

Miss Leighton, who has already returned, reports that everybody is extremely well and happy, and the camp was most successful in every way.

BASEBALL. CRICKET. TENNIS. SPORTING. NEWS. GOLFING. SWIMMING.

Dr. Johnson Is Too Fast For Corbett

Eight-Year-Old Flashes Away at Start of Feature Sprint Race at Willows Yesterday and Dr. Corbett Could Not Get Up With Him; Bonneville Pays Good Price on Place Ticket in Second Race; Keen Races; Shelbyville Breaks Leg; Jockey Baker Shaken Up

Getting all the best of the start, Dr. Johnson, the rangy eight-year-old from the Snyff stable, stepped into the lead and held it all the way in the five furlong dash, the feature event of the racing card at the Willows track yesterday afternoon.

In winning, Dr. Johnson had to dispose of the famous Dr. Corbett, the Hollenbeck entry, who was rated as a sure thing by those who thought they were in the know. Dr. Johnson was hustled over the five furlongs in record time, making the distance in 57 seconds flat, four-fifths of a second faster than the former mark set by Elmer K.

Every racing fan in town had his eye on the race as the meeting between Dr. Johnson and Dr. Corbett was hailed as one of the greatest duels the track had witnessed in many years. Furious Bill was fanned by some as they figured that the two doctors would be so interested in their own case that the wild one might have a chance to slip through and win.

Took No Chances.

But Weiner, who had a leg up on Dr. Johnson, left nothing to chance and the moment the barrier went up he whipped his mount across the head of the field, took the rail and let the others chase him.

Dr. Corbett was shut out at the start and had to take the overland route over the whole distance. He showed a great flash of speed on the back stretch and closed fast in the home stretch. He was unable to catch Al Hotfoot, who was well and challenged Dr. Johnson at several stages in the race. When it came to the real run in the home stretch Dr. Johnson showed that he had it on the rest of the field and never put the brown gelding under with more than a length to spare. Al Hotfoot paid those who believed in him \$16.10 for a \$2 place ticket.

Favorite Goes Down.

Mae Seth breezed under the wire a winner in the first race, six and one-half furlongs, by a wide margin. The favorite was just drawing up to the leaders when he stumbled on the turn and broke a leg. "Long-Shot" Baker, who was in the saddle, was badly shaken up when the gelding went down and had to cancel his engagements for the rest of the day.

Shelbyville had to be scratched.

Bonneville proved the best payer of the afternoon, a \$2 place ticket on her in the second race being good for \$24.45. Skyhawk, another outsider, won the race easily, while Kirtley's Cub was beaten by a head for second place. Angelo, the much-touted favorite, finished third.

A Favorite Nosed Out.

Lady Bourbon, a heavily played pony in the third race of five furlongs, had to be content with second place after leading the field until the stretch, when Miss Grace Denny came on fast and won by a scant margin.

Lady Moore, the favorite, was given a good ride by Motter in the fourth race and was challenged by the victory by Robert L. Owen. When Lady Moore bore out on the turn into the home stretch Robert L. cut inside and it looked as though Lady Moore would win the race. But she was cut too sharply in front in getting back to the rail.

Jockey Clark scored his second victory on Race of one mile and seventy yards. Bernice won over the same distance on Saturday and was installed as the favorite yesterday. Clark hung well back during the greater distance and when he urged his mount on the last turn got a ready response and won by nearly a length over Yorkshire Maid.

Hurn's Second Win.

Jockey D. Hurn put his second winner across in the last race, getting Calgary L. home with length. Hurn's second win was his first in the second race, when he won by a head over Renmore II, the second choice, was third.

The results were as follows:

Summary.

First race, 6 1/2 furlongs—Mae Seth 95, Johnson, 1—\$7.00, \$4.25, \$2.15; Miss Denny Dancer 112, D. Hurn, 2—\$4.40, \$2.90, \$1.45; Aggie 107, Baur, 3—\$2.90, Time, 1:24 3/4.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Skyhawk 114, Motter, 1—\$14.90, \$9.50, \$4.90; Bonneville 112, Little, 2—\$27.45, \$16.20, \$8.10; Kirtley's Cub 117, D. Jones, 3—\$2.90, Time, 59 1/2 seconds.

Third race, about 5 furlongs—Miss Grace Denny 109, D. Hurn, 1—\$7.10, \$2.90, \$2.90; Lady Bourbon 112, Miller, 2—\$2.80, \$2.80; Speedy Lady 104, Greenwood, 3—\$4.70, Time, 59 1/2 seconds.

Fourth race, 6 1/2 furlongs—Lady Moore 111, Motter, 1—\$3.15, \$2.95, \$2.45; Robert L. Owen 112, Gargan, 2—\$3.50, \$2.50, \$1.60; Corley 113, Jarvis, 3—\$2.85, Time, 1:24 2/5.

Fifth race, about 5 furlongs—Dr. Johnson 114, Weiner, 1—\$2.50, \$4.90, \$2.50; Al Hotfoot 112, P. Hurn, 2—\$16.10, \$3.80; Dr. Corbett 119, D. Hurn, 3—\$2.30, Time, 57.

(Record for Willows' track.)

Sixth race, 1 mile, 70 yards—Bernice 105, Clark, 1—\$4.70, \$3.15, \$2.90; Yorkshire Maid 96, Creery, 2—\$4.70, \$4.30; Al Wick 111, Johnson, 3—\$4.40, Time, 1:49 4/5.

Seventh race, 5 furlongs—Calgary L. 121, D. Hurn, 1—\$11.75, \$2.60, \$2.15; Torpedo 117, Thompson, 2—\$2.75, \$2.10; Renmore II, 119, Miller, 3—\$2.70, Time, 1:24 3/4.

JOCK MALONE WINS

Columbus, Ohio, July 31.—Jock Malone, St. Paul, middleweight, knocked out Jack Rivers, South American middleweight champion, in the first of a scheduled six-round fight here last night, flooring him three times.

Win For C.P.R. Will End Race For Ball Title

Automotives Will Oppose Rail-roads in Amateur Game This Evening

To-night the Automotives and the C.P.R. will clash at the Stadium in the senior ball league. Should the C.P.R. win, the league schedule will be completed with the Railroads the victors, and ready to play-off for the B.C. championship, which is now held here, having been won by the Elks last year.

The mechanics are out to hand the league leaders a trimming, as they have not been able to defeat the railwaymen once this season, and as this will be their last chance they will be right out after the scales of the C.P.R. If the C.P.R. win the last game of the league, scheduled between the Elks and the mechanics, will not have to play.

"Zac" to Pitch

Manager Beech will most likely put his speed artist, Zaccarelli, on the mound to stop the rush of the railroads.

"Mac" McIntyre will be on the mound for the Roy Copas' side, and he will make the Automotives step lively after his elusive slants.

The game will be called at 6:30 o'clock, with Alvin McGregor handling the indicator.

G. TUNNEY WILL MEET GIBBONS IF HE WINS

New York, July 31.—Gene Tunney, champion light heavyweight of the United States, and Dan O'Dowd, of Boston, meet here to-night in a 12-round bout for the title. If Tunney wins he can practically count on a match with Tommy Gibbons, Billy Gibson, his manager, said.

SIDNEY WILL PLAY HERE THIS EVENING

Will Meet Esquimaux in Lacrosse Battle at Canteen Grounds

Sidney's fast-traveling lacrosse team will be in town to-night for a game with Esquimaux at the Canteen grounds. The fast and exciting game is looked for by Rob McInnes, who will referee and will face off the ball at 7 o'clock.

A big crowd of fans is expected, as the clubs in the Victoria and District League are playing splendid lacrosse. All three clubs have a fighting chance for the Times cup, which has been donated for the championship.

Fans can reach the Canteen grounds by taking a No. 4 car.

The Esquimaux team is relying upon the following players to bring home a victory: Ross Brown, Ross Kamp, Passmore, Huxtable, Rickinson, Steele, Popham, Broadbent, Stewart, Hicks Brothers, Stan Ross, Hemmings.

WILL'S MANAGER IS DEMANDING A MATCH WITH DEMPSEY FIRST

New York, July 31.—Paddy Mullins, Harry Will's manager, goes before the boxing commission to-day to demand that his negro protegee get a chance at Jack Dempsey for a world's heavyweight championship before the titleholder meets Luis Angel Firpo. He said he would request the commission to bar a Dempsey-Firpo battle and to arrange for a Will-Dempsey match before the outdoor season closes.

QUOTING NOTES

The Quoting Club has been dead for the last three weeks, but will come back to life next week, with some interesting games will take place. The semi-final of the Withers Cup, the first division league games will be played.

A general meeting will be held in the Caledonian Hall on Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is looked for. The social committee are requested to attend in a body to make arrangements for the annual picnic.

FRANCE AND SPAIN BATTLING FOR WIN IN DAVIS CUP GAME

Deauville, France, July 31.—France and Spain are again all squared in matches played in the all-European finals of the Davis Cup competition. LaCoste, the French schoolboy, has won both his singles matches for France, while Count de Gomar defeated N. Blanchey, and paired with Eduardo Flaquer, carried off the doubles for Spain.

LaCoste has shown the best tennis of the competition, which has been played under most disagreeable conditions, the sky being overcast with sometimes a drizzling rain and the weather generally chilly. Final matches will be played this afternoon between Flaquer and Blanchey, second strings on the teams. Odds to make N. Blanchey the favorite sit to five.

CHAMPION WINS BOUT

Columbus, Ohio, July 31.—Frankie Genaro, flyweight champion of the United States, was awarded a technical knockout over Buddy Wallace, of Yonkers, N. Y., in the fourth round of their scheduled six-round bout here yesterday.

Mobile, Ala., July 31.—Battling Barriere, of New Orleans, knocked out Jimmy Rivers, of Los Angeles, in the second round of a scheduled ten-round bout here yesterday. Both men are lightweights.

No Moss Is Gathering on This Rolling Stone of the Diamond



JACQUES FOURNIER

The story about the rolling stone gathering no moss does not fit the career of Jacques Fournier, who has traveled over many of the sun-kissed spots of the Pacific Coast shores, has been with three clubs in the American League, two in the National League and at present is enjoying another prosperous season.

Unless Fournier is kidding the natives a bit on the date of his birth he was a professional ball player with Seattle at the age of sixteen. He says he was born at Ainslie, Mich., September 28, 1892, and was a catcher with Seattle in 1908.

His major league debut was with the Boston Red Sox in 1912. Later he shifted to the Chicago White Sox and he was good enough to cover first base for Charles Comiskey until Chic Gandil came along.

Back to the Minors

The purchase of Gandil caused another transfer in Fournier's career and he returned to the Pacific Coast League.

During the shortage of major league players during the war period, Fournier hopped back into the American League, joining the New York Yankees. His term there was brief, and in 1919 he was back with Los Angeles.

When the St. Louis Cardinals were going through their reconstruction days at the hands of Branch Rickey a first baseman was needed. Fournier was brought back into the big circuit.

A frisky youth, however, arrived later in Jim Bottomley, and with Fournier on his hands, Rickey arranged an exchange with the Brooklyn Superbas, giving Fournier for Myers.

Fournier became a stubborn hold-out in this swap and did not relent until the early part of May. Before he joined the Dodgers they were eighth placers. While Fournier did not do all of the heavy work, nevertheless the Superbas did not start out batting strength, it was far from the benefit of the usual Spring training trip, he has been batting around .350 all season.

Always Rated Good Hitter

Fournier's career continues to run as it has he will wear out his welcome in Brooklyn in a couple of years and move on to steady another team. He says he is far from through and ought to be able to stick around in the big show for at least five years more.

While never a fielder of the George Sisler type, Fournier has always had the reputation of a good hitter. So in times of stress, when a club needs batting strength, it always turned to Fournier if he happened to be sojourning in the minors, proving the punch is really the big asset in baseball.

Opening Tennis Games See Weak Ones Beaten

Play opened yesterday afternoon in the British Columbia lawn tennis championships at the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club's courts and many of the beginners in tournament play were knocked out. The play will get better and the matches will be more keenly contested as the weak ones are weeded out by the more experienced contestants. The heavy wind which was blowing the whole of the afternoon bothered the players considerably.

Miss Marjorie Leeming, Victoria's star woman player, holder of the Dragon State title and also the Mainland championship, played her first game yesterday against Miss Monica Davie winning it 6-2, 6-2.

F. C. Pollard, a Victoria champion, had an easy task in winning his game from Richards, of James Island, in two straight sets.

Another interesting match was between A. M. Hodgins, junior tennis centre champion, and D. L. Leader, of Hongkong, the local player winning after a hard-fought match 6-0, 6-4.

The best match of the day was played in the ladies' doubles between Miss Tatlow and Miss Kioepfer, of Vancouver, and Miss Archibald and Miss McNeill, of Victoria. The former were successful in winning.

Only one match was played in the men's doubles Major Cobbett and Capt. Westmorland defeated D. R. English. Collinson defeated Marion by default. K. Tatlow defeated F. G. Coulter, 6-2, 6-1.

E. D. Freeman defeated G. Dixon by default. D. M. Gordon defeated J. Kimoshita, 6-2, 6-0.

Coagrove defeated J. Cunningham, 2-6, 6-4, 8-6.

J. Huchison defeated R. W. McKeown, 7-5, 6-0.

Cunningham defeated D. L. Leader, 6-0, 6-3.

J. E. Sparring defeated W. F. Wilkes, 6-0, 6-2.

F. C. Pollard defeated G. M. Richards, 6-0, 6-2.

Quinton defeated H. O. English, 6-3, 8-6, 6-0.

H. Bredin defeated F. G. Wilson by default.

J. S. Proctor defeated C. H. Rayment, 6-0, 6-2.

H. Barnes defeated R. Matthews, 6-2, 6-4.

N. H. Knox defeated J. R. Kingham, 6-0, 6-3.

W. W. Whittaker defeated W. M. Mark by default.

F. L. Kingston defeated E. List, 6-2, 6-1.

D. K. Radford defeated Capt. Berrill, 10-8, 6-3.

M. S. Musgrave defeated H. W. McLean, 6-3, 6-1.

Ladies' Singles

Mrs. Waddy defeated Mrs. Marston, 6-3, 6-1.

Miss M. Leeming defeated Miss Davie, 6-2, 6-2.

Men's Doubles

Cobbett and Westmorland defeated Pollard and Cabell, 6-3, 6-4.

Ladies' Doubles

Mrs. Leeming and Miss Seon defeated Misses R. and H. Richards, 6-2, 6-1.

Mrs. Knox and Mrs. Westmorland defeated Misses Mener and Miss Campbell, 6-2, 6-2.

Miss Tatlow and Miss Kioepfer defeated Misses Archibald and McNeill, 6-4, 7-5.

Miss M. Leeming and Miss H. Leeming defeated Miss Winslow and Mrs. Waddy, 6-2, 6-1.

3:15 P.M.

Men's Singles

Kingston vs. Whittaker.

Pollard vs. Eric Quinton.

Men's Doubles

Berrill and Goodday vs. Bell and McLeod.

Mixed Doubles

Miss Archibald and Wilkes vs. Miss W. Campbell and Collinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews vs. Grubb and McLean.

Mrs. Westmorland and Cobbett vs. Miss Kioepfer and Seon.

Mr. Milne and Stevens vs. Mrs. Unsworth and Rayment.

Ladies' Doubles

Mrs. Taylor and Miss Henderson vs. Mrs. Diamond and Miss Fraser.

Mrs. Gordon and Miss Blankenbach vs. Mrs. Syon and Mrs. Denpieter.

Mrs. Mogg and Miss Pitts vs. Mrs. Marton and Mrs. Lang.

4:30 P.M.

Men's Singles

Radford vs. Musgrave.

Ladies' Singles

Miss Seon vs. Mrs. Gillespie.

Men's Doubles

Whittaker and Gill vs. Young and Leouere.

Boucher and Lacey vs. Douglas and Major McDonald.

Mixed Doubles

Miss Leeming and Gordon vs. Miss Cuss and O'Halloran.

Miss Hops Leeming and J. Proctor vs. Mr. and Mrs. Lang.

Ladies' Doubles

Mrs. Hicks and Miss Lawson vs. Mrs. Milne and Mrs. Bouchert.

5:30 P.M.

Men's Singles

Quayle vs. Stepany.

Reds Are Back In Chase After New York Team

Cincinnati Picked Off a Double-Header Yesterday and Closed Gap

New York, July 31.—The Reds climbed back to second place in the National League yesterday by defeating Philadelphia in a double-header, while the Giants divided two games with Pittsburgh.

In the American League, the leaders also slipped a cog. Although the Yanks won from Chicago 5-4, Cleveland took a double-header from Boston 5-4 and 2-0.

In Philadelphia, McManus pounded out two home runs for St. Louis, and the Browns won a double-header, 5-2 and 4-2.

Brooklyn beat St. Louis 5-4 and the Braves beat the Cubs in Chicago 6-5. Washington beat Detroit in a tight game one to nothing.

National League

At Cincinnati: First—R. H. E. Philadelphia 5 12 2 Cincinnati 7 10 1

Batteries—Bettis and Wilson, O'Brien; Donohue and Wingo.

Second game—R. H. E. Philadelphia 5 10 0 Cincinnati 3 10 0

Batteries—Weinert and Wilson; Harris and Hargrave.

At Pittsburgh: First—R. H. E. New York 4 11 1 Pittsburgh 5 11 1

Batteries—Scott, Barnes and Snyder; Adams, Steiner and Schmidt.

Second game—R. H. E. New York 17 10 1 Pittsburgh 12 9 3

Batteries—Mazouzi and Gowdy; Gastin, Morrison, Kunz, Stone, Steiner, Bagby and Gooch.

At Chicago: First—R. H. E. Chicago 6 12 2 Cincinnati 5 9 2

Batteries—Marquand and McNamara; Miller and E. Smith; O'Neill, Osborne, Fussell and Farrell.

At St. Louis: First—R. H. E. St. Louis 6 10 1 Brooklyn 5 11 0

Batteries—Vance, Decatur and De Berry; Pfeffer, Stuart and McCurdy.

American League

At New York: First—R. H. E. Chicago 5 9 1 Philadelphia 5 9 1

Batteries—Leverette and Schalk; Jones and Hoffman.

At Washington: First—R. H. E. Washington 0 6 1 Detroit 0 6 1

Batteries—Sims and Johnson; Rounnel and Bruckey.

Second game—R. H. E. Washington 5 11 0 Detroit 2 11 2

Batteries—Yangilder, Kolp, Danforth and Collins; Hasty, Naylor, Ogden and Perkins.

At Boston: First—R. H. E. Cleveland 4 12 1 Boston 4 12 1

Batteries—Dile and O'Neill; Quinn, Murray and Peinlich.

Second game—R. H. E. Cleveland 7 7 1 Boston 7 7 1

Batteries—Covaleskie and O'Neill; Fullerton, Murray and Devormer.

International League

Toronto, 4; Syracuse, 5.

Rochester, 17; Buffalo, 1.

Jersey City-Baltimore postponed, rain. (Only games scheduled.)

WALT JOHNSON SETS UP SHUTOUT RECORD

Washington, July 31.—Walter Johnson, Washington's veteran pitcher, hung up another major league record yesterday, when, in trouncing the Detroit Tigers, 1-0, he attained the one hundredth shutout of his big league career. Johnson allowed the Cobb men six hits, struck out six men and walked three.

JAPANESE MADE CLEAN SWEEP WITH CANUCKS

Montreal, July 31.—Japan won the last two events and made it five straight matches against Canada in the first round of the American zone of the international Davis Cup tennis matches here yesterday afternoon. Shimizu, captain of the Japanese team, defeated Leroy Rennie, of Toronto, Canadian champion, 6-2, 6-3, 6-0, while Masamotoku Fukuda defeated Willard Crocker 6-2, 6-3, 6-2.

Stillwell vs. T. Procter. Boucher vs. Muir. Weinstein vs. McIntyre. Winner of Meredith and Seon vs. the winner of Platt vs. Kimura vs. Brand.

Ladies' Singles

Mrs. Muir vs. Mrs. Bradford. Mrs. Mercer vs. Miss Woffenden. Miss H. Campbell vs. the winner of Miss Kitchen vs. Miss H. Green.

Men's Doubles

List and Barnes vs. Dean and Edon Quinton.

Mixed Doubles

Mrs. Hicks and Kingston vs. Mrs. and Mr. G. C. Grant. Mrs. and Mr. Garrett vs. Mrs. Marston and McLeod.

6:30 P.M.

Men's Singles

Collinson vs. winner of Quayle vs. Stepany.

Winner of Stillwell vs. Procter vs. winner of Weinstein vs. McIntyre. Hodgins vs. winner of Verley vs. McLeod.

Hutchinson vs. G. Cunningham.

Men's Doubles

Green and Muir vs. Garrett and Gordon.

Procter and Cunningham vs. Witter and O'Halloran.

Grant and Gallon vs. Allister and Radford.

Mixed Doubles

Miss McNeill and Findlay vs. Miss Gillespie and Platt.

Mrs. Mercer and Barnes vs. Mrs. Syon and Gallon.

Miss H. Richards and Louriero vs. Miss Fraser and Sparring.

Miss Hodgins and Quinton vs. Mrs. and Mrs. Boucher.

Miss Davie and Brand vs. Miss Seon and Coagrove.

Swimmers Getting Ready For Times Swim, Aug. 25

Elks, V. A. S. C., V. I. A. A. and Y. M. C. A. Will Have Entries in Marathon Aquatic Event; Swimmers Are Now In Training for Long Grind and Greatest Race In History Is Looked For.

Swimmers are beginning to train for The Times Through Victoria Swim, which is to be held on Saturday afternoon, August 25. The long distance swimmers of the Elks' Amateur Swimming Club commenced training in earnest over the week-end.

The Elks will be well represented in the water marathon this year, when at least five of their best swimmers will enter. Norman Purser, who finished fourth a few years ago, will make a strong bid for first place in the coming event. He is swimming an exceptionally strong stroke and with constant training from now till the day of the race will be in first-class condition.

Jack Kinsman, who swam a few years ago under the colors of the V. I. A. A., will this year enter with the Elks and has improved wonderfully in his style and endurance. He can make the distance with ease and promise to be well to the front at the finish.

Harry Hanbury and Bill Peden, two strong swimmers, will enter the race for the first time and hope to prove to be the dark horses of the event.

Ross Swimming Again

R. Carter, who each year swims under the colors of the Elks and who always crosses the finishing line, is again expected to be in the line awaiting the starter's gun. The Elks will work out every Thursday and Sunday, and with a competent trainer will all be in the pink of condition for the big event.

Tommy To Try Again

Tommy Wellburn, of the V.A.S.C., who swam a dead heat with Audrey Griffin, of the V.I.A.A., in last year's race until within 100 yards of the finish, is again expected to be in the line. He is usually among the prize winners, and will also crawl the distance.

A number of outside swimmers are coming to town for the event.

Gracie Wellburn, an annual competitor, will also be in the line, and several other V. A. S. C. swimmers will enter.

Audrey Griffin will carry the colors of the V. I. A. A. and a number of other entries are expected from that quarter.

Johnnie Larsen, of the Y. M. C. A., who is usually among the prize winners, will also crawl the distance.

Those accustomed to watching cricket on the county grounds in England will welcome the installation of the large detailed scoring boards that will be erected on both the Brockton Point and Lower Brockton Point grounds.

Four bats have been donated and these will be presented to the players with the best batting and bowling averages for the tournament, to the player with the highest individual score and to the player with the best individual analysis in any one game.

The cricket team to represent Victoria against Vancouver, at Vancouver, next Saturday in the inter-city series, has been finally selected, as follows: Capt. F. A. Noble (captain), Major H. R. N. Cobbett, Sergt.-Major F. L. Watson, G. Wilkinson, R. Wenman, H. A. Ismay, J. H. Brown, D. Hudson, L. Wyles, C. P. Askey and P. Welch.

Capt. Noble requests the above players to meet for practice at the Jubilee Hospital ground on Thursday next at 5 o'clock. Players are requested to phone the president (phone 672) as soon as possible whether they wish to go over on Friday afternoon or night.

KID LEWIS BEATEN BY AUGIE RATNER

Former Champion Loses on Points in 20 Rounds; Lake Defeats Frenchman

London, July 31.—Paul Fritsch, who won the Olympic featherweight title in 1920, last night defeated Seaman Hall, former European lightweight champion, in a ten-round bout.

Augie Ratner, of New York, defeated "Kid" Lewis, former middleweight champion, on points in a twenty-round bout.

The first ten rounds were uninteresting, there was considerable fighting, and Lewis was warned frequently for hitting low. In the twelfth Ratner forced the fighting, punishing Lewis severely about the head.

Lewis hooked Ratner in the fourteenth and the blood flowed from the corner of the eye where the blow landed. After some holding in the seventeenth Lewis tried for a knockout, but Ratner countered with a hard straight right which staggered his opponent.

Ratner showed to greater advantage in the eighteenth, landing a number of hard smashes, but the last two rounds were light, with honors in Ratner's favor.

London, July 31.—"Bugler" Lake, of England, won the bantamweight championship of Europe last night from Charles Sedgwick, France, in a twenty-round bout on points.

New York, July 31.—Johnny Wilson, world's middleweight champion, yesterday quipped training quarters at Summit, N. J., for his bout against Harry Greb, of Pittsburgh, here, August 31. Greb is training at his summer home at Connetquot Lake, N.Y.

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PRESENTATION TO GENERAL MANAGER

Head of Hudson's Bay Co. Departmental Store Leaves

On the eve of his relinquishment of the general management of the Hudson's Bay Co.'s Victoria store, G. A. H. Porte was the recipient of a handsome upholstered chair, and a pair of binoculars presented to him by the entire staff as a token of esteem and high regard.

In making the presentation on behalf of the staff, J. S. Horne voiced the sincere regret which everyone felt in Mr. Porte leaving the service of the company.

Speaking for the staff, Mr. Horne took the opportunity of thanking him for the very considerate treatment always meted out to those under his charge and also wished to thank him for the helpful advice he was ever-ready to give to those around him.

Mr. Porte was asked to accept the gift with the very best wishes for his future happiness, and it was hoped that he would long be spared to use them, and that they would serve as a pleasant reminder in the years to come of the many friends he was leaving behind in Victoria.

Mr. Porte, who has resigned his position as general manager owing to ill-health, has been in the service of the company for more than twenty-five years, joining the organization in April, 1898. Promotion was not long in coming to Mr. Porte for in November of the same year he was appointed to a higher position, and has since that time made steady progress as a pleasant reminder in the years to come of the many friends he was leaving behind in Victoria.

Mr. Porte's ability as an organizer and manager has long been known to the higher officials of Hudson's Bay Company and it was therefore not surprising that two years ago he was selected to open the Victoria store, and to fill the important position as general manager.

During his stay in Victoria Mr. Porte has endeared himself to a large circle of friends, and it is with the sincerest regret that they learned of his decision to leave the city. He makes his departure with the good wishes for his future success of all those with whom he has come in contact.

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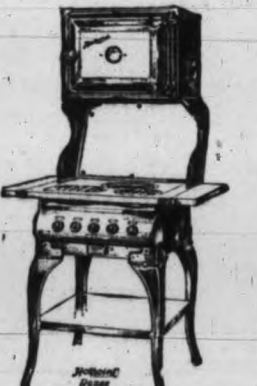
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ELKS' WILL BE NOVELTY

Open-Air Meeting Promised Candidates Who Will Take Final Obligation

Arrangements for an open air initiation meeting of the local Elks, Victoria Lodge No. 2, B.P.O.E. of C. and N., are now fully concluded. The officers and members of the local herd have announced their intentions to be such that they will greatly interest the new members, or the candidates for membership, properly speaking, and these will be instructed in the mysteries and beauties of the order. The meeting will be held on Thursday at 7:45 p.m. in the lodge room, Weller Building, after being formally opened adjournment will be called until the members and candidates reach a suitable spot, already chosen amongst the wooded country. There the candidates will receive the final obligation.

Transportation will be provided. It is requested that the members turn out in large numbers, as this meeting will be unique in the annals of Victoria No. 2 lodge.

Another interesting event in connection with the Elks Club will be the annual picnic, which will be held at Goldstream on Wednesday, August 8. The picnic will be for Elks and friends and will be in the nature of an Elks' Children's Day. In addition to the offspring of the lodge, the children of the Orphans' Home will be entertained. Members will meet at the club rooms, Weller Building, at 1:30 p.m. and a start made for Goldstream at 2 p.m.

A good programme of sporting events has been arranged and dancing will take place in the large pavilion there.

FINDS YUKON IS BRIGHTER AREA

Bert Mantrop Is Back From Northern Tour

A revival in the Yukon is forecast by Bert Mantrop, Chairman of the Esquimalt School Board, who has been on a professional visit to the Yukon and Northern British Columbia. He reports to The Times a most active tourist movement this summer by the Canadian Pacific steamers and the White Pass and Yukon Railway. The steamers and railway trains are full, 90 per cent of the visitors being Americans. Mr. Mantrop was particularly struck with the provision made for tourists at the Keno Hill camp promising to restore to the Yukon something of its lost glamor. There is a large tonnage in sight for shipment out, and people are more optimistic than has been the case for some time.

Mineral development in the Yukon is well paralleled by agricultural development in the central section of British Columbia, according to Mr. Mantrop, who came back by way of the line from Prince Rupert to Jasper, and found everywhere the country looking well, and an increase of dairy stock.

He was away from the city about two months.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The dance which was arranged by the Elks' Swimming Club for to-morrow evening has been postponed indefinitely.

Three conducted tours were in the city yesterday, the Collier-Miller, of Ohio and Kentucky people to the number of 46, a Raymond-Whitcomb party under Jarvis Ward, of Chicago, and a Fliton tour under C. C. Tilton, of Danville, Ill.

A lengthy article in the automotive section of The Seattle Post-Intelligencer contains nearly a complete page of Vancouver Island illustrations, hailing the island as "an exquisite continent in miniature now being discovered by the auto tourist." After an historical sketch of the island the article points out the spots appealing to tourists, and concludes with a description of the ferry routes and accommodation.

REMOVE BRIDGE FIRE HAZARDS

Destruction of old wooden buildings on Wharf Street, considered a serious fire menace to the new Johnson Street Bridge, has commenced. It was announced at the City Hall yesterday that the old buildings will be torn down as rapidly as possible so that the fire menace to the bridge may be removed with a minimum of delay.

Removal of these buildings was ordered by Fire Marshal Thomas, following the recent waterfront blaze which for a time threatened the new bridge. According to Mr. Thomas, if the buildings nearest the viaduct approaches had burned they would have caused many thousands of dollars of damage to the bridge and probably would have reduced the southern span to a mass of tangled wreckage.

Alarmed by Mr. Thomas's warning the city authorities supported his order for the destruction of the wooden buildings and they are being removed with haste.

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Everything Is in Readiness for Annual Regatta; Fine Programme

Everything is in readiness for the annual regatta to be held at Cordova Bay to-morrow afternoon. The land and water courses have been put in fine condition and large entries are assured in all events.

A great crowd of spectators is expected at the Bay and there will be plenty of good sport and keen competition. The programme will be as follows:

Field Events.
Boys' and girls' running race, six years and under, 25 yards.
Girls' running race, ten years and under, 50 yards.
Boys' running race, ten years and under, 50 yards.
Girls' running race, sixteen years and under, 75 yards.
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TOURISTS RETURN TO HOT SPRING CAMP

Proves More Alluring Than Average Site in Northwest, Trustees Say

Automobile visitors to the Curtis Point camp have been so impressed with the accommodation provided that many intending to stay a few days are not only prolonging their visit but making a return trip, Frank Waring, one of the trustees of the camp, reports. A stay from two to three days is generally regarded as the average length of an automobile party's stay in any camp, according to averages compiled in the Northwest, but the permit tags from the Victoria camp show visits of longer duration. A big percentage of the tags show tourists staying for seven days, while most of the others read for six and four days, with a few staying from one to three days. California and Washington visitors are most in evidence.

Returning from Seattle, Mr. Waring drew a comparison with the Victoria camp and camps he had seen in Washington. "During President Harding's visit to Seattle, he said, 'there were 750 automobile parties camping in Woodland Park. The camping site proper is twelve acres, but the cars were overflowing into the park. It was dusty and a hot, stifling a great contrast to Victoria's camp by the Gorge, with sites beneath shady trees for the camping parties.'"

Mr. Waring believed was getting a more genuine class of tourist. Of the average of forty cars a day, with four people to a car, at the Victoria camp, virtually all the tourists out to spend a vacation. He estimated that many who visited the Seattle camp were parties traveling from city to city as economically as possible with the object in view of finding work in some city and staying there.

Following the remarks of the president of the Chamber, C. T. Cross, that on a recent visit to Portland he found confusion existing regarding Vancouver Island and Victoria, it is interesting to note that Mr. J. Palmer, the Victoria Publicity Bureau representative in Seattle, preaches the gospel of Victoria and Island, not Vancouver Island. "When people cross the Fraser they are not Westminister some of them actually believe that they have crossed a body of water to Vancouver Island," said Mr. Waring. "Vancouver Island may not be generous enough to point out the misapprehension. Mr. Palmer spends hours at the camps in Washington every day using his persuasive eloquence for Victoria and Island and carefully points out how it is reached by the Bellingham and Anacortes ferries."

Extra facilities for the Victoria auto camp visitors will be provided within the next two weeks. The commodious bathhouse, which is one of the swimming pool, has been purchased and is now being renovated. The plumbing will soon be installed to make it suitable for a bathhouse.

Overnight Entries

Wednesday, August 1
First race—Pillbox Cove Claiming Purse, \$500, for four-year-olds and over. Six and one-half furlongs.
4520 Trulane 111
4520 Joe Underwood 111
4540 Col. Snider 111
4515 High Olympus 111
4550 Nick Klein 111
4513 Little Gink 111
4547 Capron 111
4498 Laura James 109
4548 Malzavena 109
4542 Welga 109
Second race—West Bay Claiming Purse, \$500, for three-year-olds and over. About five furlongs.
4540 Kimberly 114
4414 Lantern 112
4542 Mike Dixon 114
4528 Callou Berry 110
4541 Bonabelle 112
2921 She Will 112
4472 Golden Flight 108
4499 Shady Lane 108
4499 Wasco Chief 105
4539 Pretty Doll 96
Third race—Thetis Cove Claiming Purse, \$500, for three-year-olds and over. About five furlongs.
2928 Apple Jack 114
4542 Lady Bourbon 112
4542 Sir Frederick 110
4548 Mineral Jim 110
4548 Arthur Rule 110
4541 Celebrate 109
4542 Leonard Jr. 109
4520 Hattie Mack II 105
4520 Frank L. L. 105
4522 Ask Jessie 102
Fourth race—Constance Cove Claiming Purse, \$500, for three-year-olds and over. Six and one-half furlongs.
4522 Dare 114
4535 Private Post 114
4523 Ponza Ray 112
4531 Barrisakant 109
4500 Sugarmint 107
4497 Endive 105
Fifth race—Pillbox Cove Claiming Purse, \$500, for three-year-olds and over. One mile and seventy yards.
4537 Donatello 110
4533 Huga K. Ashe 108
4546 Benmore II 108
4528 Wedding Prince 106
4531 Calthump 103
4537 Sample 102
4514 Peace Flag 93
Sixth race—Mt. Tolmie Claiming Purse, \$500, for three-year-olds and over. One mile and seventy yards.
4536 Medford Boy 109
4552 Nebraska 103
4529 Ann S. 107
4540 Miss Denny Dance 107
4518 Clare Frances 107
4552 Al Wick 102
4541 Emerald 102
4496 Bookworm 102
Seventh race—Lang Cove Claiming Purse, \$500, for Western Canadian Bred Horses, three-year-olds and over. About five furlongs.
4553 Mazama 113
4525 Dinna Fash 107
4525 Klaskina 107
4541 Seathorn 102
4524 Lady Betty 102
4511 Similkameen Boy 98
4511 Prairie Rose 102
* Apprentice allowance claimed.

EVENTS TO COME

Native Sons of Canada will meet on Thursday evening.

A general meeting of the members of the Canadian Legion will be held Wednesday in the club room, 140 Douglas Street, at 8 o'clock. As matters of importance are to be dealt with, a large attendance of members is requested.

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Oh! Harold! Collegiate Walk or Fox Trot. Zex Confrey and His Orchestra.
19091—When June Comes Along. Fox Trot. The Great White Orchestra.
Born and Bred in Brooklyn. Waltz. The Troubadours.
19092—When You Walked Out. Fox Trot. Brooke Johns Orchestra.
Bebe. Fox Trot. Brooke Johns Orchestra.
216414—Wonderful Child. Fox Trot. Capitol Theatre Jazz Band.
Stella. Fox Trot. Capitol Theatre Jazz Band.
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Virginia Reel. Violin Solo. A. J. Boulay.
19082—Medley of Old Time Songs. The Troubadours.
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FORMER DANCER BECOMES COUNTESS OF NORTHESK.—Miss Jessica Brown, of Buffalo, N. Y., and the Earl of Northesk, were married in Chicago on Thursday. Left to right: Earl of Northesk, Judge John R. Caverly, who performed the ceremony; Jessica Brown, the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Jordan. The ceremony was performed in Attorney Jordan's office.



ACQUIRING A TU-TAN.—Four Toronto damsels submitting themselves to the "Tu-tanning" process, which is absolutely in vogue in bathing fashions. Strips of adhesive tape, in any preferred design, are worn on the arm, while the bather exposes herself to the sun. When she is duly tanned the tape is removed, and a patch of clear white skin stands out in the centre of the bronze.



NEXT CHAMP?—Helen Wills, the youthful tennis flash from California, is in the East to participate in several tournaments. Many believe she will be the next woman's champion of the United States.



BOBBY JONES, NEW OPEN CHAMP.—This picture of Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, Ga., was taken during the match at Inwood, Long Island, when he triumphed over Bobby Cruikshank for the national open golf championship after Cruikshank had tied him the previous day.

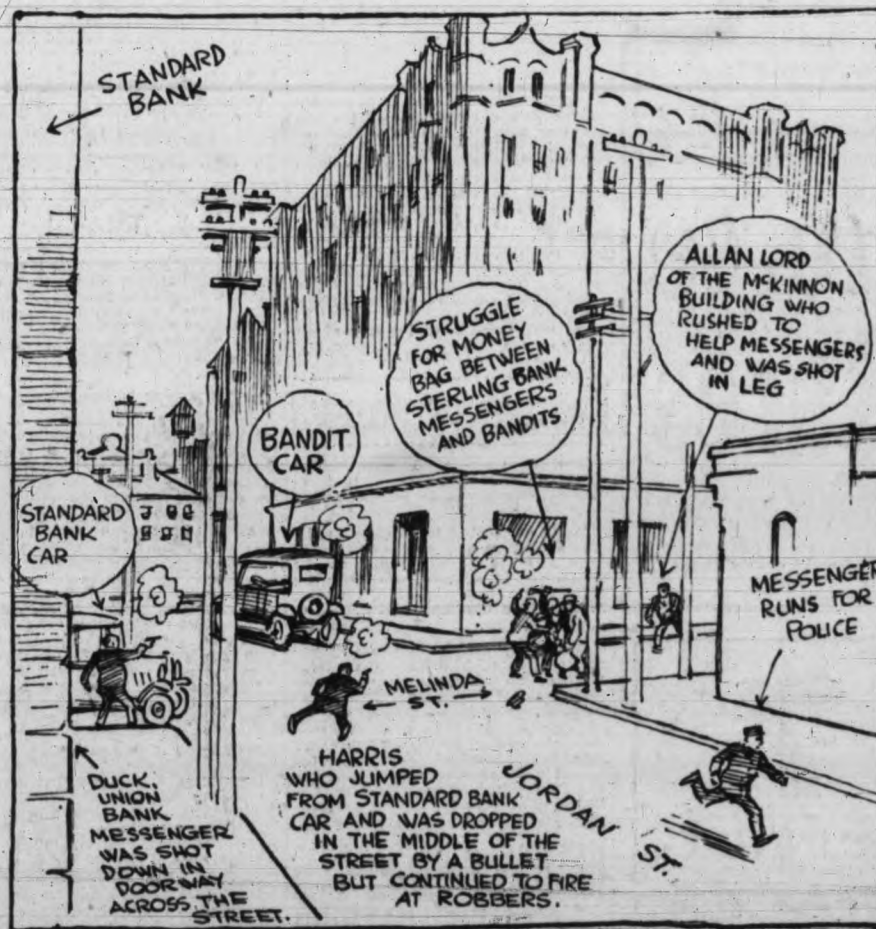
SCHOOL DAYS By DWIG



FOUGHT AGAINST ODDS TO SAVE BANK MONEY.—Left to right, top, David Campbell, W. F. Duck; left to right, bottom, James Harris, bank messengers, and Allan Lord, elevator operator, all of whom were seriously wounded in a street battle with the bank bandits in Toronto.



WHERE C. N. R. FREIGHT WAS DERAILED NEAR PORT UNION.—Fifteen freight cars and a locomotive were damaged, a valuable race horse killed, and its attendant, Thomas Keating, of Windsor, slightly injured in this smash up on the main line of the Canadian National a week ago.



SKETCH OF THE GUN-BATTLE between bandits and bank messengers at the corner of Jordan and Melinda Streets, in the heart of Toronto's financial district, which resulted in the wounding of three messengers and the robbery of \$50,000. The above sketch was actually drawn while the battle was in progress. Hundreds of persons witnessed the fight, from the street and from office windows.



McADOO WITNESS IN MORSE TRIAL.—Wm. G. McAdoo (arrow), former secretary of the treasury, leaving court at Washington, D. C., where he testified in the fraud trial of C. W. Morse.



SOME OF THOSE WHO SAW FIRPO K. O. WILLARD.—Just one section of the huge bowl at Jersey City, N. J., where 150,000 saw Firpo knock out Jess Willard. It was the biggest crowd that ever witnessed a fight event. This picture was taken at sunset. A few bare patches are to be seen, but when the party started every seat was taken and thousands stood in the aisles and around the rim of the bowl.



A FIGHTER AND HIS MOTHER.—If a mother's faith counts for much Lew Tendler would have defeated Benny Leonard, light-weight champ, for Mrs. Anna Tendler was at her son's training camp near Philadelphia, Pa., seeing that good care is taken of him.

Your wife's vacation

The best vacation for her is freedom from kitchen work and worry—freedom from cooking the things you should not eat in Summer—freedom from preparing meals that heat the blood and overtax the digestion. A healthful, wholesome, strengthening diet for Summer is Shredded Wheat with fresh vegetables and fresh fruits. Shredded Wheat is delicious for any meal with milk or cream, or in combination with sliced bananas or berries. Being ready-cooked it is easy to prepare a nourishing, appetizing meal in a few minutes.



TRISCUIT
is the Shredded Wheat cracker—a real whole wheat toast—eaten with butter, soft cheese or marmalades.

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Canada Faces the Future With Confidence

CANADIANS have always been noted for courage, optimism and faith in their country.

Canada was not built up by pessimists, nor will Canada continue to develop if her people allow themselves to become croakers and grouches. Canada is fundamentally an agricultural country. We have a soil and climate which can grow the world's finest agricultural products.

Canadian farmers who have earned the capital invested in their farms out of profits in farming are numbered in thousands. These successful farmers have paid off their mortgages, stocked their barns and stables, bought their machinery, made a good living and brought up their families. It meant hard work, but today they are independent.

Money in Mixed Farming

In recent years, at different points on the prairies, oats fed to steers have brought from 70c to \$1.07 as against the Fort William price of 42c per bushel, while barley used for the same purpose has brought as high as 99c as against the Fort William price of 57c per bushel. Farmers marketing their coarse grains in this way lower marketing cost, have a sure market and make money on their grain, while at the same time they market their roughage, otherwise often wasted.

The cattle embargo is now off. Steers are worth more money and certain to make good money for the Canadian farmer from now on.

Money in Pigs

The Dominion Experimental Farms have proved by actual test that there is a profit in feeding pigs. Last year at the Central Farm, Ottawa, after paying for feed, labor, interest

and depreciation, the net profit per pig was still \$4.63.

Profits from Sheep

As money-makers, sheep are hard to beat. In every Province from Prince Edward Island to British Columbia are found many flocks returning generous profits to their owners.

Poultry Pays

Poultry makes money for those who adopt modern methods, whether East or West. Little Prince Edward Island markets co-operatively in carlots, shipping annually upwards of one million dozen eggs. The British Columbia Co-operative Poultry Men's Exchange markets in the same way, thus saving ruinous glut in their local market.

Grow Seed

Canada's Northern grown seed possesses extra vitality. There is a large market for it to the south. Canada exports seed potatoes, but imports other seeds. She has the opportunity to grow seed for herself and for export.

The Future

Ten years from now the pessimists of today will have been forgotten. Britain has removed the embargo against our cattle. She wants our beef and bacon, our cheese, butter, eggs and apples, our wheat and flour. As the population of the United States increases, she will compete less and less against us on the British market. Eventually, she will herself be an importer of many other food stuffs besides wheat from this country.

Canada has the men, the climate, the land, the stock and the potential markets necessary for agricultural success. Let us farm with all the industry and science we can muster. Let's get to work and pay off our debts. Canada is moving forward with confidence in its future. Let us keep going ahead.

Have Faith in Canada

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CARNE I. O. O. F. HOLIDAY PLANS

Installation Held; Annual Picnic and President's Visit Anticipated

At the last meeting, Sis. Agnes McCann, District Deputy President of the Rebekah Assembly, assisted by Sis. Rachael Hay, Grand Warden of the Rebekah Assembly; Sis. J. Grant, P. P.; Sis. M. Taylor, P. N. G.; Sis. S. Wilby, P. N. G.; Sis. A. Killam, P. N. G.; Sis. Tuck, P. N. G.; Sis. Bell, P. N. G.; and Sis. H. McCabill, P. N. G. installed the officers of Carne Rebekah Lodge, No. 45 to their respective offices as follows: N. G., Sis. Whidden; V. G., Sis. Bickle; Rec. Sec., Sis. Bowers; Fin. Sec., Sis. Livingstone; Treas., Sis. Kent; P. G., Sis. H. Paget; War. Sec., Sis. P. McConnell; R. S. N. G., Sis. A. McCann; L. S. N. G., Sis. H. Bell; I. G. S., Sis. L. Bell; R. S. V. G., Sis. T. Grant; L. S. V. G., Sis. Stewart; O. G., Bro. A. E. Kent; B. R. T. Youngs, T. Smith, M. Branson and Herman; S. S., Sis. Redgrave, Winters, Palmer and Jones; N. Sis. Killam; pianist, Sis. Doane; staff capt., Bro. Bowers; Sis. H. Paget, the retiring Noble Grand, was presented with a beautiful gold jewel for the proficient manner in which she conducted the lodge the past term. Sis. Agnes McCann presented to each of her installing staff a corsage bouquet.

It was decided, August 25 being the first anniversary of the lodge, to hold a roll call on Friday, August 24 at the lodge room and on Saturday, August 25, a picnic will be held at Cordova Bay, the lodge accepting the invitation of Bro. and Sis. A. E. Kent to pay a visit to their Summer home there.

CHEAP FARES FOR BRITISH HARVESTERS TO WESTERN CANADA

Montreal, July 31.—Great Britain will contribute a quota of labor for harvesting operations in Western Canada this year, as the Canadian Pacific Railway expects to bring out at least one thousand men under the Cheap Fares Society, inaugurated by all steamship lines between Great Britain and Canada.

Under this men will be transported from a British port direct to Winnipeg for about \$56.50 or £12, while a correspondingly low fare will be granted for the return journey to England.

HALF-DAY SPECIALS

STORE CLOSING TO-MORROW AT ONE O'CLOCK

Romper Cloths and Chambrays

Sturdy Wash Cottons in neat stripes and self colorings. Splendid materials for boys' blouses, misses' and children's wear and house dresses. Shown in a good assortment of colors. To Clear at, per yard..... **29c**
—Main Floor

A Special in Crepe de Chine

A nice quality Crepe de Chine is popular this season for the better blouses and afternoon gowns, also suitable for lingerie. Shown in rose, sand, flame, Nile, pink, orchid, Saxe, jade, Copen, navy, buttercup, turquoise, sky and black. 49 inches wide. To clear at, per yard..... **\$1.75**
—Main Floor

Pure Bleached Sheetings

A timely opportunity for hotel proprietors and rooming house keepers to replenish their stock of sheets at a big saving. This is a fully bleached sheeting of medium weight; 81 inches wide. To clear at, per yard..... **69c**
—Main Floor

White and Colored Turkish Towels

Turkish Towels with a closely woven pile and good absorbent quality. Very suitable for camp use. Come in white with red border or brown with red stripe; size 18 x 26. To clear at..... **\$1.00**
—Main Floor

English Shadow Cloths and Cretonnes

Heavy weight double width English Shadow Cloth and Cretonnes for side drapes, loose covers, cushions, etc. Shown in beautiful designs and colors. Values to \$2.50. To clear at, per yard..... **\$1.19**
—Third Floor

A Special in Overalls

Men's Bib Overalls, in all black or blue and white. Easy to slip on and off and just the kind for the man who works around his car. Sizes 40, 42 and 44 waist only. Clearing Wednesday morning. To clear at, per pair..... **\$1.25**
—Main Floor

A Special Low Price on Misses' Cotton Crepe Jumper Dresses

Very smart sleeveless garments of heavy quality cotton crepe in shades of saxe, coral, sky, rose and henna, daintily trimmed with wool embroidery. Neck and armholes finished with wool-blanket stitch. Others trimmed with black stitching; two novelty pockets and black patent leather belt. Sizes 14 to 16 years. Value \$2.98. Special Wednesday morning

\$1.98

—Second Floor

Misses' Billie Burke Frocks

Very becoming frocks of all wool English flannel. Smart straight line and slightly flaring models with collars and cuffs faced with contrasting colored material, trimmed with braid and finished at waist line with girdle of self material; short and three-quarter length sleeves; sizes 16 and 18. Specially priced at..... **\$9.95**
—Second Floor

"Paraknit" Elastic Brassieres At Half-Price

Paraknit is an open work elastic material, is very flexible and a splendid bust reducer; special diaphragm section; back or front fastening; sizes 34 to 44. Value \$2.98. To clear at..... **\$1.49**
—Second Floor

Women's White Beach Boots

White Duck Lace Boots, with white rubber sole and spring heels. Suitable for holiday, beach or tennis wear. Sizes 3 to 7. Value \$1.50. Special at, per pair..... **\$1.00**
—Main Floor



Slip-on Veils

Slip-on Veils in black or brown. Specially suitable for motorizing, golfing, tennis and general wear. To clear Wednesday morning at, 12 assorted for..... **25c**
—Main Floor

Summer Underwear

Women's Combinations

Cotton Knit Combinations, opera top or strap shoulders, step-in style only. Sizes 36 to 42. Price..... **95c**

Women's Vests

Cotton Knit Vests, with strap shoulders or short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 40. Price..... **39c**
—Second Floor

Veilings

Summer Veilings in open and medium mesh; in cream, wine, brick, henna, grey, black and brown. Values to 59c. To clear at, per yard..... **15c**
—Main Floor

Picnic Suggestions

COOKED MEATS
Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per pound..... **55c**
Sliced Corned Beef, lean and fresh, per pound..... **35c**
Jellied Ox Tongue, per pound..... **80c**
Sliced Roast Pork, per pound..... **65c**
BISCUITS AND CAKES
Ormond's Dainty Assorted Biscuits, per tin..... **75c**
Paterson's Royal Lunch Oat Cakes, per packet..... **20c**
Ormond's Packet Biscuits, including Forfar Creams, Ginger Nut, Social Tea, etc. Per packet..... **10c**

FRESH FRUITS
Choice Dessert Peaches, large basket..... **50c**
New California Apples, 2 pounds for..... **25c**
California Bartlett Pears, per dozen..... **50c**
Fancy Plums, per basket **85c**

CANDIES
H. B. C. Hand Rolled Assorted Creams, per pound **60c**
H. B. C. Assorted Chocolates, per pound..... **80c**
H. B. C. Chocolate Peppermint Creams, a pound **50c**
H. B. C. Luxura Humbugs, per pound..... **25c**
H. B. C. English Luxura Mixture, per pound **35c**
—Lower Main Floor

Quality Soaps Specially Priced

Vinolia Castile, 1b. bars **23c**
Vinolia Castile, double size,..... **43c**
Williams' Bath Soap, 35c value..... **20c**
Gibbs' Shampoo Soap, 20c value for..... **15c**
Charmante Toilet Soap, 4 for..... **25c**
Cocoanut Oil Soap, 3 for **25c**
Transparent Glycerine Soap, 3 for..... **25c**

Convertible Shopping Bags

Made from strong quality leathers, with wide, leather straps and strap fasteners; can be used three ways. Very useful for shopping or picnics. To clear at, each..... **59c**
—Main Floor

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The tobacco that is rapidly gaining in popularity. A medium mixture, cool, fragrant and satisfying. Comes in 1-lb. sacks only, at **75c**
—Main Floor

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SOOKE UNITES ON RASPBERRY CULTURE

Judging of Plantations in the District Set for August 15

Judging of raspberry plantations in the Sooke district has been set for August 15. A Kohout, secretary of the Sooke Farmers' Institute, advises: All wishing to enter the competition are asked to notify the secretary not later than August 12. The task will be greater than any previous occasion in view of the fact that last Spring the Sooke decided to go in for raspberry culture on a community scale. Over 6,000 plants were brought into the district from the Mainland through the Sooke Farmers' Institute in addition to purchases of canes from surrounding districts by individual growers and no less than ten acres of healthy, vigorous raspberry bushes promise to demand attention when next year's berries are marketed. A public meeting will be held in the Sooke Hall on the evening of the day set for judging to discuss preliminaries for the formation of a local association for marketing the increasing crop.

For the information of those submitting their raspberries to the critical eye of the judges the score card is announced as follows: Soil selection and planting, twenty per cent; cultivation and freedom from weeds, forty per cent; vigor, twenty per

cent, and uniformity, twenty per cent.

Cash prizes will be announced later. Speaking on the fruit industry Mr. Kohout remarks, "We have on Vancouver Island an unequalled advantage for the small fruit industry, and our market must become the world in order to market efficiently and economically we shall have to co-operate not only with the Mainland grower, but also find a market over and with Oregon and Washington." Prominent fruit men of Saanich and Gordon Head are invited to attend the meeting to discuss marketing.



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NORTH WARD SCHOOL CADETS RANK FIRST

Lead All Cadets in Province; Other Local Corps Do Well

The cadet corps of North Ward School, Victoria, has been awarded first place among all the corps of British Columbia, according to an announcement made here yesterday. Sixth, seventh and eighth places have been won by the Boys' Central, Margaret Jenkins and the High Schools here. The University Military School led every other school, but, on account of its military character, it was not eligible for the I.O. D.E. cup competition. Naval Brigade cadets here also ranked high. "Capt. J. M. Cunningham, of Work Point Barracks, announced results of cadet corps inspections as follows: The following marks have been awarded to Victoria corps named below: North Ward School, Victoria, 779; Central School, Victoria, 716; Margaret Jenkins School, Victoria, 700; Victoria High School, 683; Victoria West School, 632; Quadra Street School, Victoria, 633; St. James Douglas School, Victoria, 614; George Jay School, Victoria, 587; Lamson Street School, Esquimalt, 584; South Park School, Victoria, 365.

ROBBED BY MASKED MEN.
New Westminster, July 31.—J. H.

Morgan was held up and robbed of \$800, the receipts of his cafe, by two masked men, just as he was about to enter his home this morning. No trace of the robbers has been found.

RED RASH ON HANDS AND BODY

Itching and Burning Terrible. Cuticura Heals.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BIRTHS.
OWEN—On July 25, 1923, in this city, Mrs. Louise Owen, aged 35 years, born in Cornwall, England. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. W. H. Owen, and one son, W. C. Owen, both in Ansoy, B. C.; also a grandson and one sister, Mrs. Wm. Roskelly, in Victoria, and one sister in Cornwall, England.

DEATHS.
The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment in the family plot at Rose Bay Cemetery.

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The keynote of our business—your confidence and the sacredness of our calling.
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J. MORTIMER & SON—Stone and Monumental Work, 729 Courtney Street, Phone 2502.

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COMING EVENTS
DIGNONISM—After all is said and done, the fittest place for man to live is where he lives for men. Dignonism, printers, stationers and engravers, 1210 Government Street. Half-price special—Rust craft novelties.

AFTERNOON COURT—Wednesday, 1230 Government Street, Wednesday, 2:30, good prices, 25c.

BALLOON DANCE—Royal Review, W. B. A. Harmony Hall, 30th, nine to twelve. Refreshments, 50c admission.

CALEDONIA HALL—Dance, Monday, July 30, 8:30-11:30. Amateur prize waltz competition.

IF YOUR WATCH does not give satisfaction, bring it to "The Jewel Box," 1114 Broad Street, next to F. H. Brown & Son. Mainphones 41, cleaning \$1, work guaranteed.

MILITARY FIVE HUNDRED—Orange Hall, Tuesday, at 8:30, 14 scrip prices, 12-1-3.

MILITARY 500—The Comprehensive one—holding a card party on Thursday evening, Campbell Hall, 30th, nine to twelve. Admission 25c, 50c sharp, 81-3.

MILITARY 500—Building, 8:30, 1230 Government Street, 14 scrip prices: 75 cent.

MILITARY 500—Ad Tubercular Fund, Room 5, Surrey Block, Monday, July 29, 8:30 p. m. Scrip prices, 12-1-3.

TICKETS for the A. O. U. W. excursion to Seattle on August 4 are now on sale and are selling rapidly.

THE EQUIPMENT Tailors Club are holding a garden fete on Thursday, p. m. at Fern Hill, the residence of Mrs. Fowler, Esquimalt.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Situation by High School student during holidays. Box 2122, Times, or phone 4275V.

HELP WANTED—MALE
LISTEN—Club breakfast, 30 to 40 cents. Cleanliness. Westholme Inn. al-10

HELP WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS
MAN and wife, without encumbrance, wanted to act as caretaker at an apartment house. Box 5581, Times, 11-10a

HELP WANTED—FEMALE
SPROTT-SHAW BUSINESS INSTITUTE
Courses—Commercial, stenography, clerical, higher accounting, collegiate preparatory. Civil Service. Phone 28 or write for syllabus. Individual instruction. New Weller Bldg. Join any time. al-10

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE
EXPERIENCED, well-known, colored girl wants day work. Write 425 Papezara.

NURSE open for engagement, or will care for patient in her home. Phone 425V.

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—String pearls, between Wharf and beach and Uplands car. Phone 7668V. Reward.

LOST—A pair of tiny green birds (love birds), resemble parrots. If seen please phone 2971L.

LOST—Five keys on a ring. Return to Baggage Dept., Empress Hotel. Reward. al-27

LOST—One club bag between Victoria and Nanaimo. Reward. 707 Yates Street. al-10

LOST—Between Hudson's Bay and Government and Fort, gold bar bracelet, diamond and turquoise heart. Box 1164, Times. Reward. 17-1-10

BOATS
BRENTWOOD BAY—For hire, sea boat O. K. per hour \$1.50 including fishing gear; picnics arranged. Phone Keats 1082.

CYLINDER grinding, motorboat and motorcar repairs, marine ways etc. Armstrong Bros. 1241 Kingston Street. al-10

MISCELLANEOUS
SAWS, tools, knives, scissors put in shape. Phone W. Emery, 1847 Gladstone Avenue.

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MERCHANTS' REMEMBER THIS—

The function of advertising is to sell, but it is not limited to selling. It includes keeping old customers sold. Naturally, you are vitally concerned in increasing the volume of your business as quickly as possible. But in the meantime you don't want to lose your old customers. And the best means of holding on as well as increasing business (text to be to machinery, efficiency of your service) is—

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK
FOR SALE—Welsh terrier puppies, pedigree stock. Phone 5278.

FOR SALE—3 strong hives of bees. Phone 4684L.

MOTORCYCLES AND CYCLES
ATTENTION—Bicycle "Sale-Boy's" bicycle, 415, Mamey double bar, \$17.50. 2-speed. Ridge-Whitworth, 315, 24-in. Perfect, like new, \$12.50. Lady's bicycle, \$15. Ridge-Whitworth, 435, B. & A. 3-speed, 145, almost new Raleigh, \$45. All our wheels are fully guaranteed. 531 Johnston Street (4 doors below Government). 17-1-10

FOR SALE—Indian motorcycle, first-class condition, new tires, heavy duty clutch. Phone 2550, or apply 1232 Beach Drive.

HARLEY-DAVIDSON, two-speed, \$50. This is a machine that with little work on it will bring \$100. Powerplus Indian, 1132, or with parcel car \$160. Gas, oil, accessories. Cameron Motorcycle Co. Yates and Vancouver Streets

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AUTOMOBILES

TO-DAY'S LIST OF USED CAR SALES

1921 FORD TOURING \$475
1920 FORD \$395
1916 FORD \$160

1917 CHEVROLET TOURING \$295
1918 CHEVROLET TOURING \$375
1917 DODGE TOURING \$495

1921 DODGE TOURING \$825
1920 SAKON SIX CHUMMY \$695
1915 HUDSON BABY SIX \$700

1915 GRAY-DORT SPECIAL \$475
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OVERLAND, 1921, model 4, in splendid condition \$495
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Our Cars Are Guaranteed Cars.
MASTERS MOTOR CO., LTD.
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7-PASSENGER WILLIS-KNIGHT, \$900
7-PASSENGER McLAUGHLIN, \$800
7-PASSENGER GRAY-DORT, \$775

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

THE Moore-Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd.
—Doors, windows, lumber, etc. City or country orders receive careful attention. Phone 1146.

We don't want your custom for one day. We want it for all times, hence our treatment to furniture buyers. Fred Smith & Co., 1402 Broad Street.

5 NEW SETS Ford slip covers for 1920 model, cheap. Phone 2553, or call 476 Foster Street, Esquimalt.

FURNISHED SUITES
A COMPLETELY furnished suite, Dance Court, 1174 Yates Street. Adults \$12-20.

FIELD APARTMENTS—Furnished suite, 2 rooms, bath, kitchen, etc. Phone 1629.

HUMBOLDT APARTMENTS—2 and 3-roomed suites to rent. Phone 1629.

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THREE-ROOMED FLAT in Fairfield district, near beach. Phone 27073.

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COMFORTABLE bed-sitting room, in private home, for person engaged during day. Oak Bay district, close to car and beach. Phone 43181L.

DELHI HOTEL—Rooms—Housekeeping and bedrooms. 413 Yates Street. 21 Hotel.

FOUR furnished rooms to rent, close in. \$20 a month. Phone 7546H.

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CADBORO BAY—Furnished, 3-roomed cottage and two tents for August. Richards, Cadboro Bay Tea Rooms 726R1L.

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SMALL, furnished cottage, close to sea. Adults. Apply Mrs. Shelton, Duil Hotel.

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A FEW well-furnished tents for August and September. Richards, Cadboro Bay Tea Rooms. Phone 726R1L.

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CHARMING summer home, near sea, home cooking, reasonable. Phone 1941L.

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TO RENT—For August and September, double tent, kitchen and bedroom combined, furnished. Apply Anchorage Tea Garden, Brentwood Bay. 17-1-10

UNFURNISHED SUITES
TO LET—Unfurnished, 4-roomed suite, 1217 Work Street, Dauphin Apartments. Phone 1824.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES
FOR RENT—Vacant 6-roomed house, 1054 Balmoral Road; bright, clean, gas close in. low rent. Phone 726R1L.

FOR RENT—Fully modern 4-roomed house, 400 Speed Ave. \$22.50 per month. Phone 2925 or 327X.

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WANTED TO RENT
A 2-ROOMED BUNGALOW, reasonable walking distance from city. Apply Box 150, Times.

HOUSES FOR SALE

HOUSES BUILT ON INSTANT PLAN
MODERN HOMES for sale, easy terms. D. H. Hale, contractor. Fort and Esquimalt. Phone 1146.

5-ROOM, modern bungalow, in first-class condition. Living room with beamed ceiling and built-in bookcase, dining room with paneled walls, built-in buffet, china cupboard and open fireplace—3 bedrooms with large, roomy closets; 2-bathrooms; modern bathroom; Dutch kitchen, linen closet; full size basement with furnace, stairs and cement sidewalk; lot in lawn and vegetables, close to car, school and Foul Bay beach; local improvements paid up. \$2,700, small cash payment and easy terms. Phone 2685V.

CASL—Three-roomed house, good condition, half mile from City Hall, good plumbing; snapper. Box 1145, Times.

LOTS FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Large lot, cleared and in grass, centrally located; cost ten hundred and fifty dollars. Who wants the lot for one hundred and twenty-five dollars spot cash? Box 1102, Times.

OAK BAY—Lots for building and investment. Some wonderful chances in lots which have reverted to Oak Bay, on very easy payments. For location, price and terms, see

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
624 Fort Street.

ACREAGE
WANTED IMMEDIATELY FOR CLIENT
A FOUR OR FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE, with about one acre of good cleared land, either on or near the sea.

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ACRES at Westwood Station, on the B. C. Electric; price \$200. Box 1052, Times.

TIMBER
RYAN, McINTOSH TIMBER COMPANY, LIMITED—Timber cruisers, valuers and consulting engineers. Timber for sale in large and small tracts—Crown grant or license—in any part of the Province. 702 Belmont House, Victoria. al-45

EXCHANGE
EXCHANGE—Will exchange five lots in Saanich, near Quadra Street, for first payment on four-roomed bungalow in large and small tracts—Crown grant or license—in any part of the Province. Phone 3415L.

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FOR RENT—Corner store and living rooms, newly decorated, old established grocery for sale. Good location, good opening, on very low rent. 174 Cook Street. Phone 3415L.

REAL ESTATE—HOUSES, LOTS, ACREAGE, DAIRY, FRUIT, and CHICKEN RANCHES FOR SALE

WATERFRONT SNAPE.
DEEP COVE—Fine lot, 50 ft. x 200 ft. Price only \$200.
DEEP COVE—Good beach lot, 50 ft. x 110 ft. Price only \$425.
DEEP COVE—3-room cottage and outbuilding, fine beach lot, 25 ft. x 155 ft. Price \$1,300.
PATRICIA BAY—5-room, new and well-built bungalow, plastered inside, 2 fireplaces, large veranda, good basement, fine spring water, several outbuildings, garage, etc.; 1 ACRE GOOD LAND, all fenced, no rock, FINE SANDY BEACH, some fruit trees and small fruit; land all fenced, good bathhouse and landing. Price only \$4,250, terms.
POWER & McLAUGHLIN,
 620 Fort Street. Phone 1044

OAK BAY BARGAIN
WILL YOU BE THE LUCKY ONE?
FIVE-ROOMED MODERN BUNGALOW, HARDWOOD FLOORS, BEAMING AND PANELLING, OPEN FIREPLACE, BEAUTIFUL GARDEN, OAK TREES, ETC.
SITUATE on one of the best streets and only a few minutes to car and beach. It has entrance hall, cloak room, large living room with present brick open fireplace, arch to dining room, which has paneled walls, beamed ceiling and attractive built-in buffet, HARDWOOD FLOORS IN EACH OF THESE ROOMS, two bright bedrooms with closet off each, kitchen and pantry with usual built-in conveniences; full sized basement. Price \$4,250, on very easy terms.
P. R. BROWN & SONS,
 1112 Broad Street. Phone 1078

HOMES OUR SPECIALTY.
\$3150—THE FINEST LITTLE BUNGALOW we have ever offered for the money, consisting of 5 well-arranged rooms: open fireplace, very handsome built-in buffet, basement, furnace and laundry tubs, situated in one of Victoria's best districts.
CITY BROKERAGE. A. T. ABBEY, Mgr.
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AN EXCELLENT BUY
NINE ACRES of choice land, all under cultivation, running stream all the year round. Three acres of pasture, balance in garden and chicken houses and range. Comfortable bungalow, containing two bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bathroom and pantry, city water and telephone. Fronting on main road, very close out, excellent transportation facilities. Price, including furniture and 200 Wyandott chickens, \$1,000.
J. GREENWOOD,
 1254 Government Street.

LAKE PROPERTY SACRIFICED.
6 MILES FROM VICTORIA, a picturesque property, 2 1/2 acres, suitable for small fruits or poultry. The pretty 6-room bungalow, amidst cedars and other shade trees, cost over \$1,000. Land is cleared, neatly fenced, numerous fine outbuildings, garden, bearing orchard. More acreage cheap. \$4,500, for quick sale.
THE VICTORIA REALTY CO.,
 Central Bldg. Phone 3206

HERE'S A COST LITTLE HOME.
A REAL ATTRACTIVE, LITTLE HOME with all conveniences. Originally well-built and exceptionally well-kept. It is situated in the best part of the city, bright rooms, besides entrance hall, large pantry, bathroom and toilet. Nice fireplace in living room, oak overmantel and bevelled glass mirror. Built-in features in kitchen and pantry. Seven ft. cement basement with hot and cold water connections. Attractive looking garage and 2-roomed cottage. Cottage has light and water connections and could rent easily if desired. Nice level lot, open locality and close to car line. Owner in need of some ready cash and is forced to sacrifice at the low figure of \$2,000 on reasonable terms.
SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE,
 610 Fort St. (Exclusive Agents).

ABOUT 2-3 ACRES, situated on the Esquimalt Road. Would make an ideal building site, being highly situated, with an excellent southern slope, has a few large oak trees on it. Is offered at a great bargain, \$2,450.
ABOUT 1-1 1/2 ACRES, on the Wilkeson Road and at Wilkeson Station. The property is all cleared and has been under cultivation. It is very nicely situated, being high with a western aspect, there are also some very nice oak trees on the property. Price \$1,000. Easy terms can be arranged.
CADBORO BAY WATERFRONTAGE— 3 lots, one of which is very nicely situated in the best part of Cadboro Bay. Price \$1,000, and very easy terms.
B. C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LIMITED,
 922 Government Street.

FERRY HAILED AS FRIENDSHIP LINK

First Arrivals on New Anacortes-Sidney Boat to Be Guests at Luncheon

Mutual congratulations on the further bond between Mount Vernon and Victoria were exchanged yesterday at the luncheon held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms given by the Chamber of Commerce to the Washington visitors who came over on the first run of the new ferry on the Anacortes-Sidney run, the reconstructed "Mount Vernon." Led by Mayor Moody, a party of over 100 people from the city after which the new boat is named, came over on the initial trip. Capt. Crosby, the pioneer of the Anacortes-Sidney service, was among the party, and it was planned to make him a presentation of a handsome U. S. flag to fly on the new ferry, but a hitch in the presentation ceremony occurred through the car in which the captain was coming to Victoria from Sidney breaking down. Joseph Patrick, president of the Publicity Bureau, presided at the luncheon which was well attended by members of the Chamber.

Mr. Patrick's Remarks.
 The chairman referred to the time when Capt. Crosby and his associates, of Seattle, dubiously planned to run the first ferry from Anacortes. Since then, Capt. Crosby, sink or swim, without asking a penny from anyone had pioneered the Anacortes-Sidney service. There was every indication of the continued success

of the service. Only a few months after the "City of Port Angeles" went into the service, members were celebrating the initial trip of the second ferry, the Mt. Vernon, a trim little craft, with which they were familiar.

Mr. Patrick extended a cordial welcome to the Mt. Vernon ferry and referred to the bond of friendship between the United States and Canada. "A few days ago," he said, "Canada had the honor of receiving President Harding."

"Vancouver, used to run running and experience in smuggling, entertained him. Victoria had planned to do so and it was arranged for him to come here, but Vancouver smuggled him. However, only four weeks previously Victoria had entertained no less than thirty United States Congressmen and five senators all at once which went a great way to offset Vancouver's smuggling effort."

Alderman Sargent, in extending a welcome to the visitors on behalf of Mayor Hayward, pointed out that Victoria had a greater percentage of mileage and paved streets than any other city of Canada.
A Wonderful Trip.
 On behalf of the Chamber of Commerce, C. T. Cross, president, endorsed the welcome of the Mt. Vernon party. The journey they had had, he asserted, was the finest sea journey that could be taken on any continent. Commending the province of British Columbia and its roads, he said that one of the visitors had told him that a one cent gasoline tax in that state of Washington was yielding \$100,000 a month. A gasoline tax had been suggested in British Columbia, but he would call their attention to the Government stores in Victoria which, he thought, yielded a revenue in excess of that amount. Mr. Cross drew attention to many of

the beauty spots of the district accessible to the visitors.
Mayor of Mt. Vernon.
 Mayor B. D. Moody, of Mt. Vernon, briefly returned thanks for the cordial welcome extended. The new ferry would, he said, bring Victoria and Mount Vernon closer together. If Victoria, he said, would send literature to Mt. Vernon they would see that it got into the proper hands.

Mr. Grant Sisson told the audience, although a member of the Legislature for the state of Washington, he was a plain dirt farmer, and not an orator. He went to the Legislature to fight for an appropriation for the highway from Anacortes to Mount Vernon. They had secured a state appropriation of \$30,000 with \$8,000 furnished by Skagit County and next year they hoped to have the five and a quarter miles of roadway leading to Anacortes paved.

Road Taxation.
 Mr. Sisson referred to the gasoline tax in force in Washington as the only fair method of road taxation. As Mr. Cross had mentioned a tax of one cent a gallon on gasoline had yielded \$100,000 a month for road purposes. "On the first of January, I believe," remarked the speaker, "a tax of two cents a gallon will go into effect doubling of, course the present revenue. This will take the place of the one mill levy for public highways. Three years from now I believe I am safe in saying, we shall have a tax of three cents a gallon with a lowering of the license tax. A gasoline tax I believe is the only fair way of raising money for public highways."

FIRE DANGER NOW VERY HAZARDOUS, PATULLO WARNS

Forest fire danger has jumped to a "very hazardous" condition, according to a warning issued today by the forest branch of the Department of Lands, under Hon. T. D. Pattullo. At the same time he announced that ninety-four new fires have been reported during the last week. This brings the total number for the season so far up to 662. Though the situation is dangerous now, the forest areas are better off than last year, it was explained. Up to the same day last year there had been 1,553 fires reported.
 Better weather conditions, improvement in protection work and education of the public against fires, are all credited with being responsible for the improvement.
 With a pall of smoke rolling seaward from various points along the coast-line and Vancouver Island, and with forest rangers and firefighting crews backfiring in an effort to stem the progress of six forest fires which are now raging, the most dangerous period of the summer has arrived, according to fire-fighting officials of the Forestry Department.
 The Point Grey fire department on

Sunday extinguished a blaze in bush adjoining the University site. Considerable anxiety was caused officials owing to a strong westerly wind; but the fire fighters eventually got the upper hand.
 On Saturday fire developed in logging operations at Redonda Island and after burning over a comparatively small area was controlled. The fire five miles east of Cowichan Lake has been extinguished; that at Union Bay is quiet, and that at Ladysmith is smouldering.
 One hundred acres of slashings have been swept by fire at Rock Bay, where the B. C. Mills Timber & Trading Company logs. The outbreak is under control.
 Unless rain develops many logging camps will probably shut down to reduce fire hazard.
 The Menzies Bay fire is reported quiet. Local officials of the Rat Portage Lumber Company, which was the principal sufferer, estimate their damage as between \$50,000 and \$100,000. The loss is fully covered by insurance.
 Fourteen loaded cars, seven bridges and much logging equipment were consumed by the flames.
 The company's camps were completely wiped out and the occupants have either taken refuge in other camps or left for Nanaimo and Vancouver. The company's fire-fighting equipment was one of the best in the Province; but the heat was so intense that it melted the iron pipes, thus cutting off the water supply. One of the donkeys was completely destroyed and another was badly damaged. The fire has prevented the company from continuing with logging operations for some months.
 When the bridges went the logging company was isolated and shut off from their base.

SAATCHI NOW CANS LOGANBERRIES AS AN EXPERIMENT
 Canned Saatchi loganberries are being tried in a series of experiments, it was announced today by the Department of Agriculture. The trial order is being made by the Saatchi Canning Co. at Sidney. "If it is a success, it is planned to develop a big trade, which will make a big market for the big berry crop of this Vancouver Island district."
 Loganberry situation is not favorable as far as markets are concerned, the Department says. So far, however, there has not been much wastage. The crop is about at the peak.
 Olivet and Morello cherries have been ripening fast. First carload is now being shipped. The crop should total about the same as last year and about five cars will be shipped, it is estimated.

RAISE OBJECTIONS TO BEACH SERVICE
 Objections to open air preaching on Foul Bay beach were raised last night when a party gathered outside one of the Summer tea rooms and commenced to hold an outdoor service. There were twelve in the party, which made its stand in front of the open air tables which were at that time crowded with people. The service was held without interruption, but immediately it was finished a request was made to the apparent leader of the party that in future the stand should be made at some other portion of the beach. In reply it was asserted that the services had in the past been held at a less crowded part of the sands but had failed to draw an audience. The speaker was forthcoming to the man who voiced the objections of some of the visitors to the beach. "If you took your stand somewhere else we could come and listen if we chose to do so," he told the leader. "But here you have us at the tea tables where we have no choice. The matter was dropped without hard feelings on either side."

THE CHURCH MILITANT.
 At a North-Island church—church picnic one guest was arrested for stunning another with a blackjack. Discovered in the day's news by the Buffalo Express.
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"I can see that I shall have to take you into my confidence," he murmured.
 "You needn't tell me a single word, because I shouldn't believe you if you did. Are you staying here with your wife?"
 "No," Tallente answered. "I am back at my old rooms in Clarges Street."
 The old lady patted him on the arm and dismissed him.
 "You see, I've found out all I wanted to know," she chuckled.
 "Well, I must be going," he concluded. "If there is anything I can do for you during the chief's absence, look me up. Mr. Tallente. It's all the same, you know—Dartrey or me—Demos House in Pall Mall Street, or the House. You haven't forgotten your way there yet, I expect?"
 With which parting shaft Mr. James Miller departed, and the secretary, opening the door of Nora's sitting room, ushered Tallente in.

"Mr. Tallente," she announced, with a subdued smile, "fresh from a most engaging but rather one-sided conversation with Mr. Miller."
 Nora was evidently neither attired nor equipped this afternoon for a tea party at Clarges'. She wore a dark blue princess frock, buttoned right back from her throat. Her hair was brushed straight back from her head, revealing a little more completely her finely shaped forehead. She was seated before a round table covered with papers, and Tallente glanced at her as he crossed the threshold, that there was an electric atmosphere in the little apartment an impression which the smouldering fire in her eyes, as she glanced up, confirmed. The change in her expression, however, as she recognized her visitor, was instantaneous. A delightful smile of welcome chased away the sombreness of her face.
 "My dear man," she exclaimed, "come and sit down and help me forget that annoying person who has just gone out!"
 Tallente smiled.
 "Miller is not one of your favorites, then?"
 "Isn't he the most impossible person who ever breathed?" she replied. "He was a conscientious objector during the war, and a sex fanatic since. Mr. Dartrey had to use all his influence to keep him out of prison for writing those scurrilous articles in The Comet—and I think he is one of the smallest minded, most untrustworthy persons I ever met. For some reason or other, Stephen Dartrey believes in him. He has a wonderful talent for organization and a good deal of influence with the trades unions. By the way, it's all right about the muffin."

double failure. I found no opportunity of making use of her money and she was discontented with the value she received for it. We have within the last few days agreed to separate. Now you know every thing," he added, with a little smile, "and curiously enough, considering the brevity of our acquaintance, you know it before anybody else in the world except one person."
 She smiled.

"I like to know everything about the people I am interested in," she admitted. "Besides, your story sounds so quaint. It seems to belong, somehow or other, to the days of Anthony Trollope and Jane Austen. I suppose that is because I always feel that I am living a little way in the future."
 Tea was brought in, and a place cleared for the tray upon a crowded table. Afterwards she lit a cigarette and threw herself upon the lounge.
 "Turn your chair around towards me," she invited. "This is the hour I like best of any during the day. Do you see what a beautiful view I have of the Houses of Parliament? And there across the river, behind that mist, the cesspool begins. Sometimes I lie here and think. I see right into Bermondsey and Rotherhithe and all those places that think out the lives of the peoples as they are being lived. Then I look through those wonderful windows there—how they glitter in the sunshine—don't they?—and I think I hear the men speak whom they have sent to plead their cause. Some Demosthenes from Tower Hill exhausts himself with phrase-making, shouts himself into a perspiration, drawing lurid pictures of hideous and apparent wrongs, and a hundred or so well-dressed legislators whisper behind the palms of their hands, make their plans for the evening and trot into their appointed lobbies like sheep when the division bell rings. It is the most tragical epitome of inadequacy the world has ever known."
 "Have you Democrats any fresh inspiration, then?" he asked.
 To be continued.

KOOTENAY BRANCH FORMED
 Nelson, B. C., July 31.—A West Kootenay and Boundary local board of the British Columbia branch of the A. A. U. of C. was formed here last night, after the case was presented to a well-attended meeting by Dr. J. G. Davidson, president of the B. C. branch of the A. A. U. of C. George Murray, of Trail, was named temporary president and W. A. Curran, of Nelson, secretary of the new organization.

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 Germs breed by millions in film. They, with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea, now so alarmingly common.

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